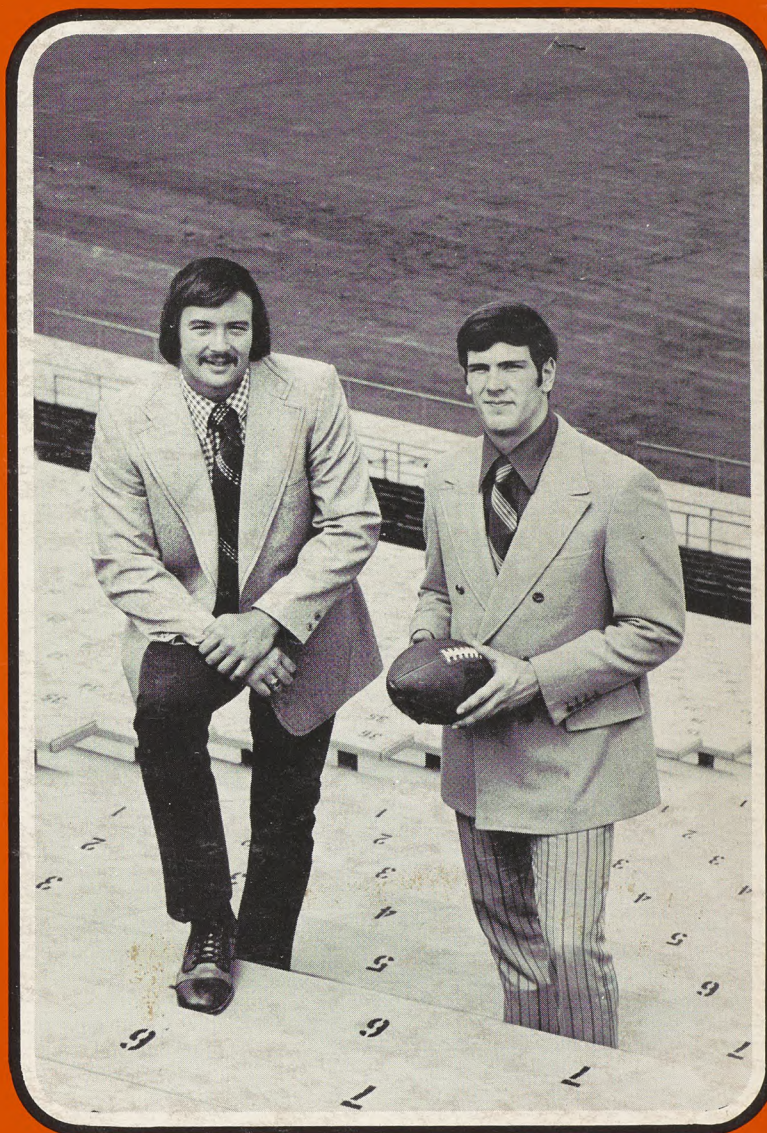


# **Bowling Green Football 1973**



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## 1973 FALCON SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Series	Time
Sept. 15	at Syracuse (Syracuse, N.Y.)	0-0-0	1:30 p.m. (EDT)
Sept. 22	at Dayton (Dayton, O.)	13-3-1	7:30 p.m. (EDT)
Sept. 29	WESTERN MICHIGAN* (Band Day)	13-4-2	1:30 p.m. (EDT)
Oct. 6	TOLEDO*	19-14-4	1:30 p.m. (EDT)
Oct. 13	at Kent State* (Kent, O.)	24-11-6	1:30 p.m. (EDT)
Oct. 20	MIAMI* (Homecoming)	9-19-2	1:30 p.m. (EDT)
Oct. 27	at Marshall (Huntington, W. Va.)	13-3-0	1:30 p.m. (EDT)
Nov. 3	at Ohio University* (Athens, O.)	14-10-1	1:30 p.m. (EST)
Nov. 10	EASTERN MICHIGAN (Parents Day)	4-5-1	1:30 p.m. (EST)
Nov. 17	NORTHERN ILLINOIS (Scout Day)	2-1-0	1:30 p.m. (EST)

\* Mid-American Conference Game

### 1972 RESULTS

(6-3-1 Overall and 3-1-1 in MAC)

Bowling Green	Opponents
W 17 at Purdue (51,859)	14
W 16 at Miami (11,518)	7
T 13 at Western Michigan (17,850)	13
W 19 at Toledo (22,109)	8
L 10 KENT STATE (20,507)	14
L 19 at San Diego State (36,121)	35
W 46 MARSHALL (14,156)	7
W 17 OHIO UNIVERSITY (17,867)	0
W 5 DAYTON (11,729)	0
L 22 at Tampa (15,111)	29

### QUICK FACTS ABOUT BG

Name: Bowling Green State University

Location: Bowling Green, Ohio 43403

Founded: 1910, First Class 1914

Enrollment: 15,400

Colors: Burnt Orange and Seal Brown

Nickname: Falcons

Conference: Mid-American (22nd season)

Stadium: Doyt L. Perry Field (23,272)

### 1973 JUNIOR VARSITY

Date	Opponent	Time
Oct. 1	at Eastern Michigan	3 p.m. (EDT)
Oct. 15	TOLEDO	2 p.m. (EDT)
Nov. 6	at Miami	2 p.m. (EST)

### FALL PRACTICE

Sunday, Aug. 26 — Physical Examinations

Monday, Aug. 27 — Opening Day

Tuesday, Aug. 28 — Media Day

**COVER:** Senior Co-Captains Greg Meczka (left) and John Villapiano won't be in the stands of Doyt L. Perry Field when the action starts this fall. They will be on the field leading the Falcons after their 18th winning season in 19 years.



# DIRECTORY

## ADMINISTRATION

President .....	Hollis A. Moore
Vice President/Public Service .....	James E. Hof
Athletic Director .....	Dick Young
MAC Faculty Representative .....	Carl Hallberg
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Director of Tickets and Promotion .....	Jim Krone
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Administrative Asst./Ice Arenas Dir. ....	Jim Ruehl
Administrative Asst./Golf Course Mgr. ....	Bob Dudley

## FOOTBALL STAFF

Head Coach .....	Don Nehlen
Offensive Coordinator/Backs .....	Ron Chismar
Defensive Backs .....	Larry Coyer
Defensive Coordinator .....	Mario Russo
Pass Offense Coordinator .....	Carlos Jackson
Offensive Line .....	Carl Battershell
Linebackers and Middle Guards .....	Dale Strahm
Equipment Manager .....	Glenn Sharp
Assistant Equipment Manager .....	Don Woods
Head Trainer .....	Gary Rose
Trainer .....	Harry Tyson

## COACHES

Baseball Coach .....	Don Purvis
Assistant .....	Terry Parsons
Basketball Coach .....	Pat Haley
Assistant .....	Ivory Suesberry
Assistant .....	Bob Hill
Cross Country/Track Coach .....	Mel Brodt
Assistant .....	Lloyd Crable
Golf Coach .....	John Piper
Hockey Coach .....	Ron Mason
Assistant .....	Glen Shirton
Lacrosse/Soccer Coach .....	Mickey Cochrane
Swimming Coach .....	Tom Stubbs
Tennis Coach .....	Bob Gill
Wrestling Coach .....	Bruce Ballard

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## MEDIA INFORMATION

**TALK WITH THE COACH:** The best time to call Coach Don Nehlen is from 1:30 until 3 p.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday during the season. He will also hold a weekly press conference in his office on Thursday at 11 a.m.

**SPORTS INFORMATION OFFICE:** Bowling Green's sports information office is located in Room 201 of the stadium offices located on the East Side of the Stadium. The office staff consists of the sports information director, a secretary and student assistants.

**WORKING PRESS:** You must have a BGSU Press Pass to be admitted to the West Side Press Box. Request credentials through the sports information office. Western Union transmission is not available. However, ample telephones have been installed to handle normal traffic. The SID office does have a Xerox telecopier in the press box.

**RADIO:** Bowling Green has 10 radio booths. Each booth can accommodate four men. Permission to broadcast will be made only after proper application is filled out and broadcast fee is paid. Address requests to the sports information office.

**PHOTOS:** Movies are taken by Bowling Green and its opponents on the second floor. Still photographers are also allowed to operate on the second-floor photo deck as well as on the field. A press pass is required for both areas. Request credentials from the sports information office and please specify whether sideline or photo deck passes are needed.

**SCOUTS:** Both college scouts and professional scouts are welcomed in the press box. Pro scouts may enjoy all press box services at the cost of a \$5 game ticket which will be marked Press and enable the buyer to sit either in the stands or in the Press Box. College scouts should limit their needs to two men. Request credentials from the sports information office.

**PARKING:** Parking is available to media men who have obtained a parking pass by writing for credentials well in advance of the game. The lot is directly north of the stadium and admission is by Parking Pass or All-Year Press Pass.

**PRESS BOX SERVICES:** Game programs, lineup cards and halftime statistics will be passed out by press box hostesses to you at your assigned seat. Play-by-play, individual and team statistics will be available in the Stat Rack shortly after the game. Quick-stats will be available as soon as possible after the game for radio stations and media. Brief post-game quotes from the press conference will be available about 40 minutes after the game. Refreshments will be available in the press box starting at noon.

**FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** Direct all requests for art, information, and interviews to Bob Moyers, Sports Information Director, 201 BGSU Stadium, Athletic Department, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio 43403.

## TELEPHONES

(Area Code 419)

Athletic Office and Football Staff .....	372-2401
Football Coach Don Nehlen (352-8357) .....	372-2401
Athletic Director Dick Young (352-0530) .....	372-2401
SID Bob Moyers (352-6397) .....	372-2408
Football Ticket Office .....	372-2401
Football Press Box .....	372-2069



# EVERYTHING YOU ALWAYS WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT \*BOWLING GREEN FOOTBALL (\*BUT WERE AFRAID TO ASK)

## BG MEDIA OUTLETS

The following outlets would appreciate releases, features, photos, colored slides from Bowling Green State University opponents.

### NEWSPAPERS

Sports Editor  
Daily Sentinel-Tribune  
P.O. Box 298  
Bowling Green, Ohio 43402  
(AC 419-352-4611)

Dave Woolford, Sports Desk  
Toledo Blade  
541 Superior  
Toledo, Ohio 43660  
(AC 419-259-7306)

Chuck Wolph, Sports Editor  
Fostoria Review Times  
P.O. Box 147  
Fostoria, Ohio 44830  
(AC 419-435-6641)

Gary Snyder, Sports Editor  
Toledo Times (A.M.)  
Toledo, Ohio 43660  
(AC 419-259-7306)

Ken White, Sports Editor  
B-G News (Student Daily - A.M.)  
106 University Hall  
Bowling Green State University  
Bowling Green, Ohio 43403  
(AC 419-372-2003)

### TELEVISION

Sports Director  
WBGU-TV (Channel 57)  
Bowling Green State University  
Bowling Green, Ohio 43403  
(AC 419-372-2676)

Frank Gilhooley, Sports Director  
WSPD-TV (Channel 13)  
136 Huron  
Toledo, Ohio 43604  
(AC 419-255-1313)

Orris Tabner, Sports Director  
WTOL-TV (Channel 11)  
Box 715  
Toledo, Ohio 43601  
(AC 419-244-7414)

Peter Van Wieren, Sports Director  
WDHO-TV (Channel 24)  
300 S. Byrne Rd.  
Toledo, Ohio 43604  
(AC 419-255-8200 Ext. 63)

### WIRE SERVICES

George Strode, Sports Editor  
Associated Press — Box 1812  
Columbus, Ohio 43215  
(800-282-0230)

Gene Caddis, Sports Editor  
United Press International  
62 East Broad Street  
Columbus, Ohio 43215  
(800-282-1076)

### BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY

Bob Moyers  
Sports Information Director  
Stadium — Athletic Department  
Bowling Green State University  
Bowling Green, Ohio 43403  
(AC 419-372-2408)

### RADIO

Dave Carr, Sports Director  
WFOB  
Box 315  
Bowling Green, Ohio 43402  
(AC 419-354-6612)

Dave Sprague, Sports Director  
WAWR-FM  
P.O. Box 163  
Bowling Green, Ohio 43402  
(AC 419-352-8411)

Dick Greene, Sports Director  
WMGS  
138 North Main Street  
Bowling Green, Ohio 43402  
(AC 419-352-5233)

Sports Director  
WBGU-FM, also WFAL (Dorms)  
413 South Hall  
Bowling Green State University  
Bowling Green, Ohio 43403  
(AC 419-372-2826)

Klaus Werner Helfers,  
Sports Director  
WOHO  
2965 Pickle Rd.  
Toledo, Ohio 43616  
(AC 419-352-6556)

## INFORMATION PLEASE

**ABC** — Bowling Green stands 1-0 in games televised by ABC in its college football pact with the NCAA. The Falcons defeated Miami, 16-7, in a regional telecast in 1972. Named as outstanding players in that game were BG linebacker John Villapiano and fullback Phil Polak. The University received two \$1000 scholarships in their honor from Chevrolet.

**ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICAN** — The team has been selected each year by the College Sports Information Directors of America since 1962. To qualify, players must maintain at least a B average the two previous semesters. Bowling Green's Laurie Kelly was named to the third team in 1969-70. The Falcons have not been represented on the first or second teams.

**ACADEMIC ALL-MID-AMERICAN CONFERENCE** — The MAC faculty representatives have selected an all-league academic team in football since 1965. Bowling Green's selections include the following players:

1972	Dave McMichael, C	1968	Al Silva, G
	Hal Watz, QB		Laurie Kelly, S
1971	Don Plusquellic, QB	1967	Ernest George, T
	Gary Schaefer, DHB		James Perry, B
1970	Laurie Kelly, S	1966	Frank Harpold, T
	Don Plusquellic, QB		Heath Wingate, C
1969	Laurie Kelly, S	1965	Jim Perry, B
			Heath Wingate, C

**ALL-AMERICA TEAMS** — Seven Bowling Green football players have been named to the first three All-America teams in the 54-year history of the sport. Several other Falcons have received honorable mention. BG's All-Americans are:

Associated Press Major-College: Mike Weger, 1965. College Division: Fred Durig, 1952; Jack Giroux, 1956; James Ladd, 1953; Jack Hecker, 1955; Tim Murnen, 1957; Bob Zimpfer, 1959; Bernie Casey, 1959.

**ALL-MID-AMERICAN CONFERENCE PLAYERS** — Since joining the MAC in 1952, Bowling Green has placed 116 football players on the all-league first or second teams. A complete list can be found on page 41.

**ALL-STAR GAMES** — Eighteen Bowling Green football players have played in post-season all-star classics since 1955. The players honored include:

**COLLEGE ALL-STAR** (Chicago, Ill.) — Bernie Casey, 1960; Bob Reynolds, 1962; Phil Villapiano, 1971.  
**BLUE-GRAY** (Montgomery, Ala.) — Jack Hecker, 1945; Jack Giroux, 1956; Jerry Croft, 1961; Mike Weger, 1966; Phil Villapiano, 1970.  
**NORTH-SOUTH** (Miami, Fla.) — Bob Zimpfer, 1959.  
**ALL-AMERICAN BOWL** (Tuscon, Ariz.) — Jerry Colaneri, 1958; Bob Zimpfer, 1959; Bob Reynolds, 1962.  
**EAST-WEST** (San Francisco, Calif.) — Bernie Casey, 1959.  
**SENIOR BOWL** (Mobile, Ala.) — Jerry Croft, 1961; Mike Weger, 1966; Phil Villapiano, 1971.  
**ALL-OHIO SHRINE BOWL** (Columbus, O.) — John Czerwinski, 1972; Earl Hargrove, 1972.

**ALPHA TAU OMEGA VICTORY BELL** — "Old Alpha" is one of the lasting traditions in BG football. The bell



has been rung by ATO members following every Falcon touchdown and conversion since the opening game of the 1961 season. In 12 seasons, the bell has travelled over 50,000 miles including trips to California and Florida in 1972.

**ATHLETIC COMMITTEE** — The purpose of the University Athletic Committee is to provide for intercollegiate competition in wholesome approved sports for students. The committee will be composed of the following members for 1973-74:

Clifford Brooks, Director of Upward Bound Program  
Dr. Sam Cooper, Chairman of Men's HPE Department  
Derek Dickinson, Assistant Dean of Students  
Harvey Donley, Professor of Business QAC  
Dr. Carl Hallberg, Professor of Biology  
Dr. William Harrington, Professor of Education  
Faith Jackson, Instructor in Speech  
Dr. Harry Lasher, Assistant Dean of College of Business Administration  
Ray Yeager, Professor of Speech  
Richard Young, Athletic Director  
Three Students To Be Named

**ATTENDANCE** — Bowling Green holds almost all Mid-American Conference football attendance records. The Falcons played before 51,859 at Purdue and 218,827 during the 10-game 1972 season for a pair of standards. BG also holds the mark for an MAC game with 26,860 against Toledo in 1971. The top home crowds include:

1. Toledo (1971)	26,860	4. Toledo (1967)	20,547
2. Miami (1969)	21,465	5. Kent (1972)	20,507
3. Toledo (1969)	20,820	6. Kent (1966)	18,440

**BAND** — Bowling Green's FALCON MARCHING BAND of 150 musicians is well known throughout Ohio and the nation for its sensational halftime shows built around precision performance and musical excellence. Director Mark S. Kelly (372-2991) and assistant director Jon R. Piersol can be contacted for additional information.

Drum Major — Tom Willson, Fremont Sophomore  
Featured Twirler — Debbie Koerner, Cherry Hill, N.J., freshman  
Twirlers — Denise Driscoll, Rocky River freshman  
Kathy Bosco, Mansfield freshman  
Musical Arranger — Louis Marini  
Announcer — David Glasmire

**BAND DAY** — High School Band Day highlights the Falcon Marching Band's season. The 1973 Band Day will be on Sept. 29 at the Western Michigan game. The eighth annual event will feature more than 50 bands and 3,000 musicians.

**BOWL GAMES** — In Bowling Green's only post-season bowl appearance, the Falcons lost to Fresno State, 36-6, in the 1961 Mercy Bowl which was a memorial game to the players killed in the California Poly plane crash in 1960. Bowling Green and the other MAC schools are eligible to play in the Tangerine Bowl.

**BROADCASTING POLICY** — Bowling Green wishes to accommodate on an impartial basis all radio stations requesting to broadcast intercollegiate athletic contests from Bowling Green. All applications for radio broadcasting should be directed to Bob Moyers, Sports Information Director. Payment for football booth privileges for commercial stations is \$50 per game and \$100 per game if feeding a network. Season rates are \$30 per game and \$60 per game if feeding a network. All television requests must be made by special arrangements with Jim Krone, Director of Promotion.

**CAPTAINS** — Seniors John Villapiano and Greg Meczka will lead the Falcons in 1973. A list of all-time captains can be found in the game-by-game scores, pages 50-52.

**CHEERLEADERS** — Bowling Green's cheerleaders for football in 1973 will include Chrissy Mohler, Kazy Meredith, Chris Hoffman, Lee Olson, Marilyn Smith, Kathie Fisher, Kim Olson.

**COLORS** — Burnt Orange & Seal Brown have been the University's colors since 1914, the first year of classes. A committee of Leon Winslow, industrial arts faculty member, and Mary Chapin, home economics professor, and one or more students suggested the colors. As the story goes, Winslow reportedly got the idea from watching a woman's hat on a bus trip to Toledo.

**CONFERENCE** — Bowling Green has been a member of the Mid-American Conference since 1952. Other members of the MAC are Ball State, Central Michigan, Eastern Michigan, Kent State, Miami of Ohio, Northern Illinois, Ohio University, Toledo and Western Michigan. In the last two years, Central Michigan, Eastern Michigan, Ball State and Northern Illinois have joined the league. The four newcomers are not eligible to compete for the MAC football championship this year.

**DADS DAY** — The tradition of Dads Day was initiated at Bowling Green in 1947 by the Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity on a permanent basis after the "original" Dads Day was started in 1942 only to be abandoned during World War II. In that 1947 game, Bowling Green defeated Iowa State, 19-7. In last year's game, the Falcons defeated Dayton, 5-0. In 1973 at the Eastern Michigan game, Dads Day will become Parents Day.

**DAD OF THE YEAR** — The father of one of Bowling Green's outstanding football players is honored each year on Parents Day. The honor roll of "Dads" includes:

#### FREDDY FALCON BAGS OHIO BOBCAT





Year	Father	Son
1965	Walter Jones	Jerry Jones
1966	Joseph Jacques	Russ Jacques
1967	Ed Luetke	Tom Luetke
1968	John Gregory	George Gregory
1969	Arthur Zimpfer	Bob Zimpfer
1970	August Villapiano	Phil & John Villapiano
1971	Jay C. Maupin	Dennis Maupin
1972	Herbert Pittman	Bill Pittman

**FACT LINE** — Have a question about Bowling Green? Want to know the latest Falcon sports results? Call Campus Fact Line (AC 419, 372-2445).

**FALCON CLUB** — The Falcon Club is an organization of Bowling Green boosters who through their financial support and interest help perpetuate BG's winning athletic tradition. Gifts in 1970-71 totaled \$14,857.50. In 1971-72 the club raised \$35,990.16. In 1972-73 the Falcon Club generated \$52,597.80. This year's challenge is \$75,000. For further information, contact Jim Krone (372-2401) at the Stadium Ticket Office.

**FALCONS** — Ivan Lake, '23, managing editor of the Bowling Green Sentinel-Tribune with duties as sports editor, suggested the name in 1927 after reading an article on falconry. Before his idea, BG athletic teams were called the Normals or Teachers. He liked the name because it fit headline space for sports writers and the Falcon was "the most powerful bird for its size and it often attacked birds two or three times its size."

**FREDDY FALCON** — Bowling Green's famous mascot was senior William "Dewey" Potts of Toronto, Ohio, in 1972-73. Football, basketball and hockey games are his favorite haunts. His identity is a secret until the final home basketball game.

**HALL OF FAME** — Each year Bowling Green State University recognizes several outstanding men who have distinguished themselves in the field of athletics, either by virtue of their performance on athletic teams representing the University, or by meritorious efforts in behalf of athletics, either as an undergraduate or in the years after leaving the University. The members of the Hall of Fame include:

Harold Anderson, coach	Jim Ladd, '54, football
Alva W. Bachman, contributor	Ivan Lake, '24, football
Carl C. Bachman, '25, football	Paul Landis, coach
Al Bianchi, '54, basketball	Gary LaPrise, '55, swimming
Ron Blackledge, '60, football-baseball	Macs Leitman, '30, football
Steve Brudzinski, '41, football	Dave Martin, '47, football
Bernie Casey, '61, football-track	Kenneth Mollenkopf, '31, football
Chester Chapman, '32, football	Don Otten, '46, basketball
Charles Clucas, '21, football-baseball	Doyt L. Perry, '31, coach
James Darrow, '60, basketball	Ken Russell, '57, wrestling
Crystal Ellis, '57, basketball	Allen Sawdy, trainer
Howard Filiere, '29, football-basketball	Bob Schnelker, '51, football
Wyndol Gray, '46, basketball	Charles Share, '50, basketball
John Hartman, '35, track	Joseph Siegfert, '48, basketball
Jack Hecker, '56, football	Ed Siminski, '40, football
Jim Hoppel, '61, wrestling	Gus Skibbie, '26, five sports
Jim Inman, '37, football	Warren Steller, coach
Dewey Johnson, '46, four sports	Cliff Stevenson, '32, football
Don Kepler, '57, swimming-golf	Nate Thurmond, '63, basketball
Jim Knierim, '48, basketball	Mike Weger, '67, football
Howard Komives, '64, basketball	Robert Whittaker, coach
	Earl Wittmer, '26, baseball
	Jack Woodland, '49, football
	Robert Younkin, '26, football

**HOMECOMING** — Ivan E. "Doc" Lake founded Homecoming at Bowling Green in 1922. This fall BG will play its 52nd Homecoming game on Oct. 20

against Miami. The Falcons own a 31-11-9 record in Homecoming games. Coach Don Nehlen has a perfect 5-0 record before the alumni, including a 46-7 win over Marshall in last year's game. In the first Homecoming game in 1922, BG and Toledo played to a 6-6 tie.

**HOME OPENERS** — Bowling Green has lost only two home openers in football since 1950. Utah State defeated the Falcons, 14-6, in 1969 and Kent defeated BG, 14-10, in 1972.

**MOST VALUABLE PLAYER AWARD** — Offensive guard Fred Sturt, fullback Phil Polak and middle guard Earl Hargrove shared Bowling Green's most valuable football player award in 1972. The other winners of the coveted award include:

1972 Fred Sturt, G	1962 Don Lisbon, HB
Phil Polak, FB	Gary Sherman, G
Earl Hargrove, MG	1961 Jerry Croft, T
1971 Paul Miles, TB	1960 Jerry Colaner, G
1970 Phil Villapiano, DE	Don Lisbon, FB
1969 Joe Green, MG	1959 Bob Colburn, QB
1968 Dennis Zolciak, LB	1958 Harold Furcron, HB
1967 Dave Seiter, DE	1957 Tim Murnen, LB
1966 Mike Weger, DHB	1956 Jack Giroux, HB
1965 Mike Weger, DHB	1955 Carlos Jackson, HB
1964 Jay Cunningham, HB	1954 Bill Bradshaw, QB
1963 Jim Wisser, FB	1953 Bill Bradshaw, QB
	1952 Fred Durig, FB

(Research being conducted on other winners.)

**NCAA** — Bowling Green is one of 126 major-college football teams with membership in the National Collegiate Athletic Association. Executive offices are located at U.S. Highway 50 and Nall Ave., P.O. Box 1906, Shawnee Mission, Kansas 66222.

**NEWS AND INFORMATION SERVICE** — The informational and photographic arm of the University supplies many of the photos used by the sports information office in addition to leading valuable assistance throughout the year in major events. The office phone number is 372-2616. Cliff Boutelle is the director while Bill Stephens is the photographer. Assistants are Teri Sharp and Kathy Lewton.

**OPENING GAMES** — Bowling Green has won 10 of its last 13 opening games. Last year, the Falcons upset Purdue, 17-14, on the road. It was only the second opening road win since 1961.

**PRICE LIST** — The following price list has been established by the sports information office concerning requests for brochures, game programs and photos.

BROCHURES		PROGRAMS	
Football	\$2.00	Football	\$ .75
Basketball	\$1.00	All-Games	\$3.00
Hockey	\$ .50	Basketball	\$ .25
Track	\$ .50	All-Games	\$2.00
Baseball	\$ .50	Hockey	\$ .25
Others	\$ .25	All-Games	\$3.00
PHOTOS (Black & White)		Special Events	
5x7	\$ .75		
8x10	\$1.00		

**PROFESSIONAL PLAYERS** — Four former Bowling Green football players were starters for National Football League teams in 1972. The complete list of Falcon players who have played or who are playing in the NFL include:



Bernie Casey — San Francisco 49ers, L. A. Rams, 1961-68  
 Jay Cunningham — Boston Patriots, 1965-67  
 John Czerwinski, N.Y. Jets, 1972-Still Active  
 Joe Green — N.Y. Giants, 1970-71  
 Jerry Jones — Atlanta Falcons, New Orleans Saints, 1966-68  
 Tony Kijanko, Cleveland Browns, 1972 — Still Active  
 Jim Ladd — Chicago Cardinals, 1964  
 Don Lisbon — San Francisco 49ers, 1963-67  
 Rick Perrin — N. Y. Giants, 1969-70  
 Bob Reynolds — St. Louis Cardinals, Boston Patriots, 1963 — Still Active  
 Roger Reynolds, N.Y. Giants, 1963  
 Jamie Rivers — St. Louis Cardinals, 1968 — Still Active  
 Ken Russell — Detroit Lions, 1957-59  
 Bob Schnelker — Philadelphia Eagles, N.Y. Giants, Minnesota Vikings, Pittsburgh Steelers, 1952-62.  
 Fred Sturt — St. Louis Cardinals, 1972 — Still Active  
 Phil Villapiano — Oakland Raiders, 1971 — Still Active  
 Mike Weger — Detroit Lions, 1967 — Still Active  
 Heath Wingate — Washington Redskins, 1967

**PUBLICATIONS** — Bowling Green's Publications Office assists the athletic department in publication of brochures, programs and other materials. The director of publications is Anne Crawford and the designer is Bruce Yunker.

**RADIO** — Bowling Green football games will be broadcast on a network basis for the 17th year by WFOB-Fostoria-Bowling Green. Dave Carr and Bill Blair will serve as the announcing team. WAWR-FM in Bowling Green will also originate an FM network for the second year in 1972. Also broadcasting the games will be WMGS in Bowling Green.

**REESE TROPHY** — The Reese Trophy, named for the first Mid-American Conference commissioner, is presented each year to the MAC All-Sports Champion. Bowling Green won the title in 1972 and finished second in 1973. The Falcons also won the all-sports championship in 1959.

#### WOTTLE & TINKER: THE GOLDEN TOUCH



**STADIUM** — Doyt L. Perry Field (23,272) was dedicated on Oct. 1, 1966 vs. Dayton. The Falcons won that opener, 13-0. Stadium is named in the honor of former BG football coach and athletic director who put the Falcons in the national spotlight with a 77-10-5 record from 1955 to 1965.

BG IN PERRY FIELD					
1966	3-1	1969	3-2-0	1972	3-1-0
1967	2-3	1970	2-2-1		
1968	4-1	1971	3-2-0	TOTAL	20-12-1

**TANGERINE BOWL** — The Mid-American Conference champion has played for the last five years in Orlando, Fla.

1968	Richmond 49, Ohio 42
1969	Toledo 56, Davidson 33
1970	Toledo 40, William & Mary 12
1971	Toledo 28, Richmond 3
1972	Tampa 21, Kent State 18

**TICKETS** — Bowling Green's season tickets for five home games in 1973 are priced at \$27.50 (chair) and \$22.50 (bench). All season ticket-holders may purchase \$10 junior season tickets for children at high school age or younger (bench only). Individual game tickets are available at \$6 (chair) and \$5 (bench). All requests should be sent to Stadium Ticket Office, Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio 43403.

**TRAVEL PLANS** — Bowling Green's 1973 football travel plans include the following:

**SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY** — Team will depart Friday, Sept. 14, by airline charter. Headquarters will be The Sheraton Motor Inn, Syracuse, N.Y. (315-457-1122). Team will return after the game.

**UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON** — Team will depart Saturday morning, Sept. 22, by University bus. Headquarters will be Holiday Inn South - Exit 32 (513-294-1471) in Dayton. Team will return after the game.

**KENT STATE** — Team will depart Friday, Oct. 12, by University bus. Headquarters will be the Holiday Inn - State Route 48 & 80S (216-678-0101). Team will return after the game.

**MARSHALL UNIVERSITY** — Team will depart Friday, Oct. 26, by University bus. Headquarters will be the Holiday Inn on U.S. 60 in Huntington, W. Va. (304-529-1331) Team will return after the game.

**OHIO UNIVERSITY** — Team will depart Friday, Nov. 2, by University bus. Headquarters will be the Burr Oak Lodge, 25 miles from Athens on State Route 13 (614-767-2112). Team will return after the game.

**UNIFORMS** — Home attire features a brown mesh-knit jersey with white numerals. On the road the Falcons will wear white jerseys with brown numerals. New orange pants with brown and white braid were worn for the first time in 1972. The traditional orange helmet with brown and white center stripes will also be used.

**ZIP CODE** — Bowling Green State University's Zip Code is 43403.

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# BOWLING GREEN '73

## THE YEAR OF THE TEAM

### GENERAL ANALYSIS

The motion failed for the lack of a second.

That's not the case with the veteran Bowling Green State University football team which has had enough seconds in the last two years to make a mockery of the Avis rent-a-car business.

"We don't plan to be a three-time loser," says Coach Don Nehlen as he prepares a senior-dominated team for a run at the Mid-American Conference championship and a bid to the Tangerine Bowl. "This team is sick of second place. I'm convinced they want to bow out as champions."

Four years ago, Bowling Green's seniors were the talk of the league with a 4-0 record as freshmen. As sophomores, they used a high-powered offense to log a 4-1 MAC mark (6-4 overall) but wound up losing to Toledo's super-seniors. As juniors, the offense bogged down but the defense had its day in court to produce a 3-1-1 chart with the loss coming against champion Kent State.

Two seconds and the best two-year record in the MAC (7-2-1) do not make things right. The Falcons have smelled Tangerines but have yet to taste the fruits of winning the MAC championship.

Nineteen seniors figure to be starters for Bowling Green and Nehlen knows he is putting all his eggs in one basket. "These guys could drive any coach up a tree. I've never been associated with a group of young men so unpredictable. But they do have talent and they are good football players. Senior teams have a habit of either going to the top or to the bottom. I feel our team plans to go to the top."

Nehlen bases his optimism on developments over the winter and spring months. "We had the best attitude we've ever had during the winter conditioning program. And our spring practice rated with the best ones we've had even though the weather was bad."

"We are going to be a much more disciplined football team this fall. We are going to take the 'I' out of our football team and go with the 'we.' It's going to be the year of the team at Bowling Green."

### THE OUTLOOK FOR THE TEAM

For the statisticians, Bowling Green returns 27 lettermen and 13 starters at the same positions they occupied a year ago. Eight players have been starters for two years and 17 have already earned two varsity letters. Nineteen seniors, two juniors and a sophomore could make up the starting lineup for the opener against Syracuse if the depth charts hold up.

The Falcons are an experienced and talented football team.

But football games are won on execution, luck, desire, and a lot of heart. Time will tell how much of these elements will be part of this year's team.

Football is still a two-platoon game. Bowling Green fans wondered a bit about that last season as the offense could score only 18.4 points a game after leading the MAC in total offense two years ago.

A sub-par passing game allowed the enemy to pinch in on a powerful running game which just had no room to operate on many occasions. Putting the pass back into BG football was the main objective of spring practice and Nehlen feels his team will be able to employ a well-balanced attack and keep the defense honest.

In passing, the Falcons did four things in the spring. Quarterbacks Joe Babics and Reid Lamport threw more from the pocket than the roll-out. They threw enough to both develop sore arms. Screens and draws were used effectively. Rick Newman, who led the team in receiving as a sophomore, returned to offense after starting in the defensive secondary last year.

However, it's no secret that the offensive power is wrapped in the piston-pumping legs of fullback Phil Polak and tailback Paul Miles.

Polak, a 208-pound bulldog with good speed, averaged five yards each of the 156 times he carried the football last year. Miles, a 190-pound dazzler who owns the off-tackle patent, had a below-par year with only 1,024 yards of real estate. Together, the dynamic duo ranked second and third in MAC rushing statistics.

Rebuilding the offensive line was started during the spring and will continue in the fall. Three of four departing interior lineman signed pro contracts.

### THE ORIGINAL FLYING FALCON





Moving on to the BG defense, where few people moved much at all last year, the Falcons will field another quick-hitting bunch of wild men who yielded only 12.7 points a game while ranking 10th in the nation in total defense.

Nehlen rates linebackers John Villapiano and Joe Russell among the best pairs in the nation. Russell is a 6-1, 227-pound junior who could develop into one of BG's all-time best football players. Other standouts include all-league tackle Tom Hall, big-play artist Tom Fisher at end and halfback Myron Wilson.

Tony Bell, a multi-talented young man, was switched from offense to the defensive safety position during the spring to complete the Newman trade. With sophomore Art Thompson and senior Jesse Greathouse completing the set, Nehlen rates the secondary "as good as any we have had in recent years."

The kicking game is back intact with Purdue hero Don Taylor doing the placements and Ed McCoy handling the punting. The return game will miss Bill Pittman.

## LOOKOUT FOR THE OPPOSITION

**SYRACUSE** — Because of motivation and talent, the Orangemen are being rated among the best teams in the East as Ben Schwartzwalder starts his 25th and final season at Syracuse. The Orange boast 255-pound guard Dave Lapham and will bounce back from their first losing season since 1949.

**DAYTON** — Should be an equal game with both teams having 27 lettermen and 13 returning starters. New coach Ron Marciniak raves about linebacker Tom Palcic while veteran quarterback Ken Polke returns to direct the attack. After last year's 5-0 game, someone should score a touchdown in 1973.

**WESTERN MICHIGAN** — Two All-America prospects have Bronco fans excited. Dom Riggio is a linebacker deluxe while Larry Cates rates with the best running backs in the nation. Western gave up only 90 yards rushing a game to rank second in the nation.

**TOLEDO** — You can bet Jack Murphy will have a few tricks up his sleeve in the annual grudge match. Except for Kent State, the Rockets have the most returning talent in the MAC. A strong offensive line is the starting point with quarterback Gene Swick a plus factor. The Ohio State transfers hold the key to the running game.

**KENT STATE** — The Flashes won the MAC title a year ahead of schedule. Linebacker Jack Lambert was the league's top player on defense while Gerald Tinker may just be the world's fastest human. His 63-yard punt return did in BG last season.

**MIAMI** — All-America tailback Bob Hitchens has already run for 2,527 yards and 28 touchdowns in two seasons. He was named the MAC's best offensive player a year ago when he ranked second in the nation with 137 yards a game. A dangerous man who must be stopped.

**MARSHALL** — The Hurd is tough at home with wins over BG in its last two tries. Marshall has 33 returning lettermen and the leading rusher, passer, receiver, returner, tackler, punter and scorer from last year.

**OHIO UNIVERSITY** — Quarterback Rich Bevely is a dandy when healthy. He led the MAC in total offense as a sophomore. L.C. Lyons, sixth in the MAC rushing

## POLAK ON THE MOVE



charts, and gutty runner Bill Gary, who ranked eighth in the nation three years ago before hitting the injury jinx, could give Ohio the best offense in the MAC.

**EASTERN MICHIGAN** — Thirty lettermen, 250-pound All-America hopeful Jim Pietrzak, and swift Houston Booth are reasons why fans will want to watch the Hurons in action for 1973.

**NORTHERN ILLINOIS** — What Bob Hitchens means for Miami, fullback Mark Keller means for the Huskies. The 232-pound tank-like fullback ranked sixth in the nation with 1,314 yards. One can have nightmares about how many times Keller may carry the ball in his final college game.

## RUNNING BACKS

Fullback Phil Polak and tailback Paul Miles can be awesome runners on any given Saturday. Back-up men Don Dillingham and Mike Watson can also get the job done.

Polak crunched his way to second-team all-league honors as a junior with 783 yards and five touchdowns. His one play is called "zero" but it usually adds up to five yards a carry for the 208-pound battering ram who was the league's best fullback last year while ranking third in rushing statistics.

Although injured late in the spring, Dillingham showed he is ready for more action after lettering last year. The 202-pound senior averaged 6.6 yards in eight carries. Hard-working junior Vic Bakunoff will add depth.

Miles has been ranked among the top 25 runners in the nation in each of his first two seasons. The two-time all-league running back will be seeking his third consecutive 1000-yard year after carving out 1,185 yards as a sophomore and 1,024 last year. His two totals placed him 10th and 21st nationally. The 190-pound off-tackle specialist has carried the ball a school-record



517 times for 2,209 yards in 20 games. Only Fred Durig, with 2,564 yards from 1950-52, ranks ahead of him in BG rushing annals.

Ready to give Miles a rest when he needs it is sophomore Mike Watson, a solid 180-pound back who averaged more than 100 yards a game with the junior varsity squad. With Miles playing baseball and Watson injured for two weeks, a lack of depth became evident during spring practice.

## QUARTERBACKS

Nehlen is looking for a "thinking man's" quarterback in 1973 after a spring experiment which saw his signal-callers calling a "package" play in the huddle with the ability to select the best play at the line of scrimmage. Most packages contain four different options.

Like the one-two punch in the running game, Bowling Green also plans to employ a two-pronged attack in the passing department with seniors Joe Babics and Reid Lampert at the controls. The double-trouble system of quarterbacking worked well for Tampa and San Diego State last year in victories over BG.

Both seniors are due for a productive year. Lampert showed his potential as a sophomore with 1,006 yards passing and engineered the Purdue upset. Babics came on strong at the end of last season to guide BG to three wins in four games. Sophomore John Boles will be the back-up man after a year with the junior varsity.

## RECEIVERS

The major position shift made during the spring was moving defensive halfback Rick Newman to the wing-back spot where he will catch the football many times

this fall. The versatile athlete caught enough passes as a sophomore to rank third in the league with 25 catches for 443 yards. Backing him up will be a pair of speedsters in junior Hal Thomas, who caught four throws for 88 yards in the spring game, and senior Greg Brewton.

Veteran seniors also man the split end and tight end spots. Elusive Roger Wallace led the team in receiving last year with 16 catches for 242 yards. He teamed up with Babics in the spring game to haul down seven completions. Co-captain Greg Meczka made the all-league second team at tight end last year and should be better in 1973.

Depth will come from Jim Snowden and Sherrill Jackson at split end and Jim Mahony and Rob Stephan on the tight side.

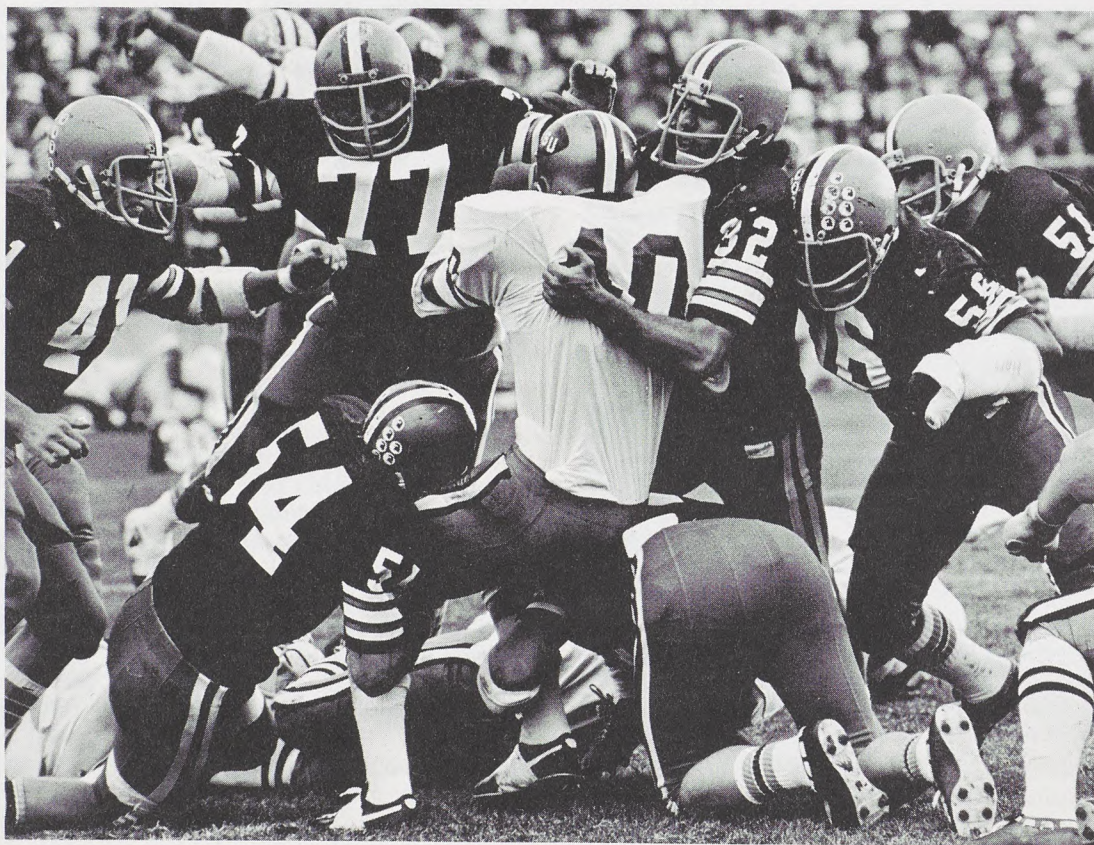
## OFFENSIVE LINE

Graduation and the professional football draft took its toll on a hefty offensive line and the orders to rebuild went out this spring to line coach Carl Battershell. That's a king-sized order since BG lost 6-4, 255-pound guard Fred Sturt (St. Louis Cardinals), 6-5, 240-pound tackle John Czerwinski (New York Jets), 6-5, 240-pound tackle Tony Kijanko (Cleveland Browns), and 6-0, 200-pound center Jon Brandyberry.

Right now it looks like as many as 13 interior linemen could figure in starting plans this fall as competition figures to keynote the drive for positions and playing time.

Even two-year veteran guard Bob Martin (5-11, 216) isn't sure of a starting spot after coming down with mononucleosis during the spring. Also in the trenches will be lettermen John Jacquot (6-1, 221) at tackle, Dave

### THE DEFENSE RESTS ITS CASE





McMichael (6-0, 209) and Steve Studer (6-0, 223) at center and Tim Quinn (6-3, 235) at guard. Studer is a sophomore while the other three are seniors.

Other linemen in the battle for starting shots are juniors Mike Schmidt (6-5, 233), Nick Obrovac (6-3, 226) and Dave Kulik (6-0, 211) and sophomores Mark Conklin (6-3, 219), Tim McCarthy (6-3, 237), Gary Anderson (6-0, 226), Mark Horansky (6-0, 226) and Gene Jones (6-4, 249).

Obviously, the Falcons hope that 13 will turn out to be a lucky number.

## DEFENSIVE ENDS AND TACKLES

Some of the best football talent in the Mid-American Conference can be found among BG's defensive ends and tackles although size is another matter.

Big-play artist Tom Fisher, an honorable mention all-league choice, heads up a talented corps of ends. The 6-0, 210-pound super-quick defender caused eight fumbles and sacked runners 17 times for losses last year and was the MAC Player-Of-The-Week for his performance against Purdue that included 10 tackles, three caused fumbles and one recovered fumble.

The talent doesn't end with Fisher. Kevin Taylor, a 6-3, 226-pound ballhawk, started all 10 games last year and can also fill in at tackle. He also could lose his job to 6-3, 221-pound junior Mike Harraman. Fisher doesn't feel very secure either with acrobatic Dave Turner around. The 6-3, 203-pound letterman was switched to end this spring after starting five games at monsterback last year.

Although he's only 6-1 and 226 pounds, Tom Hall just may be the best interior lineman in the MAC after

winning first-team all-league honors a year ago. In spring drills, most of the plays went away from Hall's left tackle position. The Bowling Green High School product threw runners 15 times for losses and caused six fumbles last season while making 91 tackles.

Nehlen also was happy this spring with the play of Gary McBride, one of the few deaf players in college athletics. The 225-pound two-year letterman will be starting at the other tackle spot. Sophomore Ron Nickey, all 208 pounds of him, is slated as the swing tackle. Depth could be a problem here.

## MIDDLE GUARDS AND LINEBACKERS

Bowling Green's linebackers came a long way in a short time last year to develop into one of the best combinations in the Midwest. Both senior John Villapiano and junior Joe Russell will be back for another year as starters. Nehlen flatly rates them among the best pairs in the nation.

At 185 pounds, Villapiano is as quick as lightning and as mean as his Oakland Raider brother Phil. The Falcon co-captain is a two-time team tackling leader and a second-team all-league choice from a year ago. He has brought down the enemy 320 times during his career.

Russell looks like a linebacker. At 6-1 and 227 pounds, he shuts off the run with authority while also having excellent quickness to cover passes. His 141 tackles last year ranked him right behind Villapiano for the team leadership. He has the potential to be the premier linebacker in the MAC.

### OFFENSIVE THREE-DEEP EXPERIENCE CHART

(Key: \*Letters Won, 1972 STARTERS IN ALL CAPS, †1972 Starter At Wingback)

POSITION	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	NOT RETURNING
Split End	**ROGER WALLACE - Sr.	Jim Snowden - Jr.	Sherrill Jackson - So.	
Quick Tackle	**John Jacquot - Sr.	Mark Conklin - So.	Tim McCarthy - So.	***TONY KIJANKO
Quick Guard	Dave Kulik - Jr.	**BOB MARTIN - Sr.	Garry Penta - Jr.	**Frank Allen *Pete Pryfogle *JON BRANDYBERRY
Center	**Dave McMichael - Sr.	*Steve Studer - So.	Brett Molk - Sr.	
Strong Guard	*Tim Quinn - Sr.	Gary Anderson - So.	Mark Horansky - So.	**FRED STURT
Strong Tackle	Mike Schmidt - Jr.	Nick Obrovac - Jr.	Gene Jones - So.	**JOHN CZERWINSKI
Tight End	**GREG MECZKA - Sr.	Rob Stephan - So.	Jim Mahony - Jr.	**Mark Beach
Quarterback	**JOE BABICS - Sr.	**REID LAMPORT - Sr.	John Boles - So.	
Wingback	**†Rick Newman - Sr.	Hal Thomas - Jr.	Greg Brewton - Sr.	***BILL PITTMAN
Fullback	**PHIL POLAK - Sr.	*Don Dillingham - Sr.	Vic Bakunoff - Jr.	
Tailback	**PAUL MILES - Sr.	Mike Watson - So.	Tom Moriarty - So.	*Dave Bower

Analysis: 13 Lettermen, 6 Returning Starters At Same Positions Including Two Quarterbacks

9 Lettermen Lost, 5 Starters Lost At Same Positions

First Team — Nine Seniors, Two Juniors

Second Team — Three Seniors, Three Juniors, Five Sophomores

Third Team — Two Seniors, Three Juniors, Six Sophomores

Note: Add Two More Returning Lettermen in Kicker Don Taylor And Punter Ed McCoy



Junior Jim Reynolds, a 211-pound transfer from Cincinnati, and sophomore Kevin Clayton provided solid depth in the spring.

The middle guard position was vacant a year ago when Earl Hargrove took over the job and became the best at his position in the MAC. The position is again open with a number of candidates available. Hopefully, the right man for the job is among them. The top three look like senior Bill Centa, who was second-team tailback/fullback as a sophomore and second-team middle guard last year while winning two letters; senior Jamie Henneberry, a two-year victim of the injury jinx as a fullback, and Reynolds.

## DEFENSIVE BACKS

An improved secondary was one reason for Bowling Green's 10th place national ranking in total defense last year. The Falcons should again be strong if the spring experiment of shifting Tony Bell from offense to defense pays dividends in the fall.

Bell is a two-year letterman as an offensive wingback and perhaps the best natural athlete on the team. The 6-2, 204-pound senior also lettered in basketball as a sophomore and has the speed and jumping ability to develop into one of the best safetymen in the league. Bell provided some big plays on offense last year and the Falcons feel he can do the same on defense in 1973.

Returning for his third year as a starting halfback is Myron Wilson, a second-team all-league performer last season who could be headed for a banner season. The fact that Art Thompson was the only sophomore to

handle a starting job during the spring says a great deal about his ability and potential.

Also listed among the top six backs are hard-hitting Jesse Greathouse, who started the last half of the season at monsterback, senior letterman Rick Hans and sophomore Mitch Sherrell.

## SPECIALISTS

As a freshman, Don Taylor provided the winning margin against Purdue, Miami and Dayton with his trained toe. During the spring, his accuracy remained the same while his distance improved. His eight field goals set Bowling Green season and career records.

Taylor's counterpart in the punting game is also back. Senior Ed McCoy averaged 35.6 yards to rank fourth in the league. But his big play was picking up 21 yards in the Purdue game when he caught his own blocked punt and started to run with it.

The kick return and punt return game lost career recordholder Bill Pittman. The help wanted sign is out with Bell and Newman rated as possible applicants for the job.

The Falcons even consider the center snap on punts and placements a duty for a specialist. Sophomore Steve Studer lettered as a freshman while perfecting his role.

## FRESHMEN RECRUITS

With a veteran team returning, a freshman will have to be a great one to help the varsity in 1973. However, the coaching staff was pleased with the quality of the 22 freshmen recruits who will bid for varsity jobs this year.

### DEFENSIVE THREE-DEEP EXPERIENCE CHART

(Key: \*Letters Won, 1972 STARTERS IN ALL CAPS)

POSITION	FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	NOT RETURNING
Quick End	**TOM FISHER - Sr.	*Dave Turner - Jr.		***Bill Montrie
Left Tackle	**TOM HALL - Sr.	*Cory Cunningham - So.	Tom Krahe - So.	*Mike Peregrord
Left Linebacker	*JOE RUSSELL - Jr.	Jim Reynolds - Jr.	Tom Spann - So.	**Steve Price
Middle Guard	**Bill Centa - Sr.	Jamie Henneberry - Sr.		**EARL HARGROVE
Right Linebacker	**JOHN VILLAPIANO - Sr.	Kevin Clayton - So.	Gary Mixon - Jr.	
Right Tackle	**Gary McBride - Sr.	Ron Nickey - So.	Dave Florea - Jr.	***GARY ZELONIS
Strong End	**KEVIN TAYLOR - Sr.	Mike Harraman - Jr.	Thom Wilker - So.	**Bill Fisher
Monsterback	*JESSE GREATHOUSE - Sr.	Chuck Lindsay - So.		
Halfback	Art Thompson - So.	*Rick Hans - Sr.		*Bob Kilpatrick
Halfback	**MYRON WILSON - Sr.	Alex Femenia - So.		*Don Albrecht
Safety	**Tony Bell - Sr.	Mitch Sherrell - So.		**GARY SEEMANN

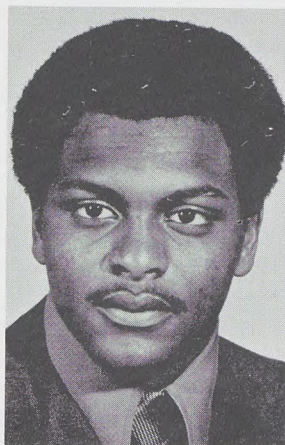
Analysis: 12 Lettermen, 7 Returning Starters At Same Positions  
 7 Lettermen Lost, 4 Starters Lost Including Halfback Rick Newman Shifting To Offense  
 First Team — Nine Seniors, One Junior, One Sophomore  
 Second Team — Two Seniors, Three Juniors, Six Sophomores  
 Third Team — Includes Only Five Players Since Several Players Double At Other Positions



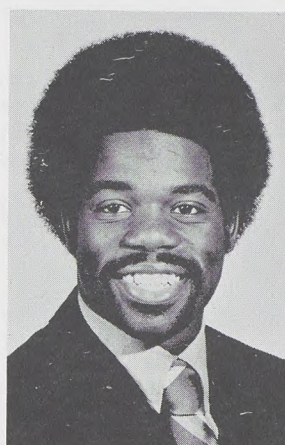
## MEET THE FALCONS



JOE BABICS



TONY BELL



GREG BREWTON



BILL CENTA

### SKETCHES FOR VARSITY. PICTURED ARE LETTERMEN, SENIORS AND STARTERS.

**60 ANDERSON, Gary, 18, 6-0, 226, sophomore, strong guard, Bluffton (Cory Rawson), industrial education major.** ATHLETIC: Finished spring drills as second-team offensive guard... Linebacker on JV team last year... Played both positions in high school... Added 10 pounds to frame... Ready for first taste of varsity action... One of BG's top sophomores.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Jim Berry... 1971 United Press International Ohio Class A Lineman Of The Year... Two-time first-team All-Ohio selection... Led team to second-place ranking in state ratings as senior... Team was UPI state champions during freshman year... Three football letters... Only Class A player selected to play in 1972 Ohio North-South All-Star Game... Senior team was undefeated (10-0) and gave up 13 points.

PERSONAL: Full name: Gary Wayne Anderson... Son of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Anderson... Father sells used tractor parts... Two brothers and three sisters... Hobby is woodworking... Plays the guitar... BG SCHOLAR-ATHLETE in first term as freshman... Born 6-21-50 in Bluffton, O.

**15 BABICS, Joe, two letters, 21, 5-11, 164, senior, quarterback, Canton (McKinley), special education major.** ATHLETIC: One-half of BG's two-platoon quarterback picture... Started last four games in 1972 and led team to three victories... Looked improved in spring... Excellent runner... Has been on winning team in last two spring games... Career totals are 45 completions in 118 attempts for 663 yards and four touchdowns and .381 percentage... Had best game vs. Tampa with 7 of 15 for 124 yards.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Ron Chismar (now his coach at BG)... Seven letters as football (1) quarterback, baseball (4) short-stop and basketball (2) guard... Quarterbacked McKinley to All-American Conference championship and fourth place in AP and UPI wire service polls as senior... Two-time conference champs in baseball... Top thrill was beating rival Massillon twice in football.

PERSONAL: Full name: Joseph David Babics... Son of Mr. and Mrs. Nickalas Babics... Has older brother and sister... Wants to teach and work with handicapped children... Same goal as fellow quarterback Reid Lampert... Married to the former Karen Merrin... Born 6-24-52.

**49 BAKUNOFF, Vic, 19, 6-0, 211, junior, fullback, Pleasantville, N.J., business education major.** ATHLETIC: Handy man to have around... Looks like third-team fullback... Has put on 15 pounds... Excellent spring game with 48 yards in 10 carries... Ran for 235 yards in JV play last year... Led frosh team two years ago with

233 yards as tailback... Career highlight of running for 102 yards and scoring TD vs. rival Toledo frosh.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach John Roman... Ten letters as football (4) halfback, basketball (2) forward and baseball (4) outfielder... Played on state championship baseball team in 1969... All-state in football.

PERSONAL: Full name: Victor John Bakunoff III... Son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor J. Bakunoff Jr... Father has flown from N.J. to Ohio to see most of Vic's games... Younger brother... Hobbies are golf and swimming... Had summer job of being an exterminator... Born 9-13-53 in Philadelphia, Pa.

**42 BELL, Tony, two letters, 21, 6-2, 204, senior, safety, Youngstown (South), HPE major.** ATHLETIC: Outstanding natural athlete who will be watched closely by the pros this year... Shifting to defensive safety after two years of big plays on offense... Made transition during spring... Dangerous return man with 478 career yards on punts and kickoffs... Took punt back 68 yards in spring game... As a sophomore he became first BG athlete to letter in both football and basketball since Jack Hecker produced the feat in 1953-54... Had great sophomore year as he touched the ball 37 times for 651 yards and 17.6 average... Ran 57 yards vs. Ohio U. the first time he carried the ball in college football... Did not play basketball last year after averaging 4.9 as soph... Scored three TDs last year all on runs or pass catches of more than 20 yards... Longest play involves 73 kickoff return vs. Marshall.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach John Mathey... Six letters as football (3) split end and basketball (3) forward... All-city and captain in both sports... Played on sectional basketball champions... Played in North-South All-Star Football Game... Top thrill was 92-yard kickoff return... Had humorous incident of being called for clipping as a defensive player.

PERSONAL: Full name: Anthony David Bell... Son of Mrs. Issac Bell... Father is deceased... Three brothers and three sisters... Uncle Shelton Bell was National AAU light heavyweight champion in 1941... Uncle Tommy Bell fought Sugar Ray Robinson for the title in 1946... Father also was boxer... Wants to play professional football... Born 4-2-52 in Youngstown, Ohio.

**8 BOLES, John, 19, 6-0, 174, sophomore, quarterback, Toledo (Bowsher), history major.** ATHLETIC: Starts fall as third-team quarterback with promising future... Completed 16 of 35 passes for 158 yards for JV team... Scored one TD but did not throw TD pass... Hit two of three in spring game for 20 yards.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Charles Parnell... Seven letters as football (2) quarterback, basketball (2) guard and track (3) hurdler... Captain of all three teams... All-Toledo in football... Played on city championship football team as sophomore... Top thrill is



beating Toledo Central in final game as senior . . . National Honor Society.

PERSONAL: Full name: John Jay Boles . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Boles . . . Two sisters . . . Wants to become a "helpful and good teacher" . . . BG SCHOLAR-ATHLETE . . . His 3.5 average during first term in school was best by Falcon griddier . . . Born 5-20-54 in Toledo, Ohio.

**20 BREWTON, Greg, 22, 5-8, 179, senior, wingback, Toledo (Woodward), HPE major. ATHLETIC:** Injuries have limited his play to part-time duty for two years . . . An exciting player . . . Started as wingback on undefeated freshman team . . . Became a tailback as sophomore . . . Returned to wingback this spring . . . Was a starter until off-field accident sidelined him this spring . . . Has the ability to really help team as senior.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Lenny Smith . . . Seven letters as football (3) tailback, basketball (2) forward and track (2) sprinter . . . Top rusher and scorer in City League as senior . . . Gained over 1200 yards as senior . . . All-City.

PERSONAL: Full name: Gregory Lawrence Brewton . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brown . . . Three sisters and two brothers . . . Enjoyed summer job of working with children as park supervisor . . . Married . . . BG SCHOLAR-ATHLETE during winter term . . . Born 4-22-51 in Toledo, Ohio.

**40 CENTA, Bill, two letters, 21, 6-0, 209, senior, middle guard, Cleveland (St. Joseph's), accounting major. ATHLETIC:** One of keys to the team as the starting middle guard . . . Replacing all-league and BG most valuable defensive player Earl Hargrove . . . Converted to MG as junior after backing up fullback as sophomore . . . Averaged 3.7 (29a, 110y) . . . Played both ways as freshman . . . In Toledo game as sophomore, he lost for the first time in five years of high school and college football . . . Of 12 tackles last season, five got runners for losses.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Bill Gutbrod . . . Six letters as football (2) tailback, basketball (2) guard and track (2) jumper . . . His high school team never lost a game in four years . . . All-Crown Conference and MVP in football.

PERSONAL: Full name: William J. Centa . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew E. Centa of Willowick, Ohio . . . Lined up opposite his high school quarterback, Bob Bobrowski, in Purdue game . . . Once forgot to take football pants to away game . . . Lists his career objective as "money" . . . Hobby is pool . . . Born 7-17-52 in Cleveland, Ohio.

**46 CLAYTON, Kevin, 19, 6-1, 211, sophomore, linebacker, Avon Lake, pre-law major. ATHLETIC:** Had outstanding spring to win recognition as first substitute at linebacker . . . JV starter at linebacker . . . Led all tacklers in spring game with 15.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Al O'Neill . . . Five letters as football (2) linebacker, basketball (1) forward and track (2) weight man . . . All-Southwestern Conference selection in football and basketball . . . Played on 1971 conference football championship team.

PERSONAL: Full name: Thomas Kevin Clayton . . . Son of Mr. and

Mrs. Thomas A. Clayton . . . Family now lives in Troy, Mich. . . Three sisters . . . Born 6-1-54 in Columbus, Ohio.

**66 CONKLIN, Mark, 19, 6-3, 211, sophomore, quick tackle, Westerville, business finance major. ATHLETIC:** Expected to see action in battle for starting job . . . Had good spring . . . Still growing . . . JV starter.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Chuck Burner . . . Five letters as football (2) tackle, basketball (1) forward and tennis player (2) . . . Selected as his school's top scholar-athlete as a senior . . . Top thrills include carrying football in last game and hitting a 40-foot jump shot in last basketball game as senior.

PERSONAL: Full name: Mark Stanton Conklin . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. James G. Conklin . . . Father played basketball and was captain of Ohio State tennis team in late 40's . . . Gaining weight is problem for him . . . Hobbies are ping-pong and building models . . . Born 4-8-54 in Columbus, Ohio.

**71 CUNNINGHAM, Corey, 20, 6-0, 212, sophomore, defensive tackle, Lorain (Senior), major is undecided. ATHLETIC:** Another highly-rated sophomore lineman with potential . . . Will back up all-MAC Tom Hall this year . . . Playing at new position after seeing action as a freshman linebacker.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Doug Thompson . . . Seven letters as football (2) linebacker, track (3) shot putter and basketball (2) forward . . . Most valuable defensive player and captain of football team . . . All Buckeye Conference in football . . . Nickname of "Butkus" . . . Top high school thrill was receiving a telegram from Dick Butkus before the Sandusky game.

PERSONAL: Full name: James Corey Cunningham . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cunningham . . . Brother Kevin plays football for Wichita State . . . Once his own shot put rolled off top of locker and hit him on head . . . Hobbies are weightlifting and music . . . Born 4-25-53 in Arlington, Mass.

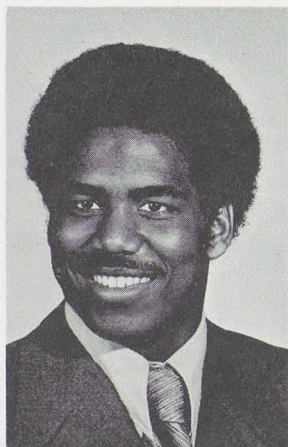
**48 DILLINGHAM, Don, one letter, 21, 5-11, 202, senior, fullback, Dayton (Fairview), elementary education major. ATHLETIC:** Won first letter last year as back-up fullback . . . Averaged 6.6 yards with 8 carries for 53 yards . . . Scored first varsity TD with three-yard run against Marshall . . . Good spring with 6.0 average in spring game . . . Will be used to rest Phil Polak this fall.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Dave Palsgrove . . . Eight letters as football (3) halfback, track (2) sprinter and wrestler (3) . . . Three-year starter in football and wrestling . . . All-city in football.

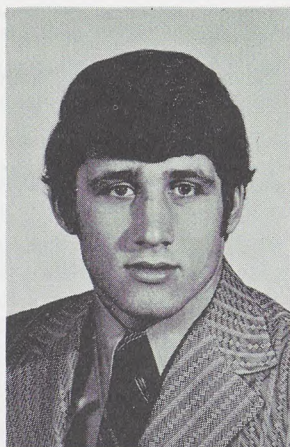
PERSONAL: Full name: Donald H. Dillingham . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald H. Dillingham . . . Twin brothers Erron and Eric are currently top athletes in Dayton . . . Hobby is music . . . Born 7-26-52 in Panama City, Fla.

**14 FEMENIA, Alex, 20, 5-10, 165, sophomore, defensive halfback, Danbury, Conn., HPE major. ATHLETIC:** Should add depth at defensive halfback from second-team position that he won in spring . . . Did not play JV football last year . . . Returned three punts in spring game.

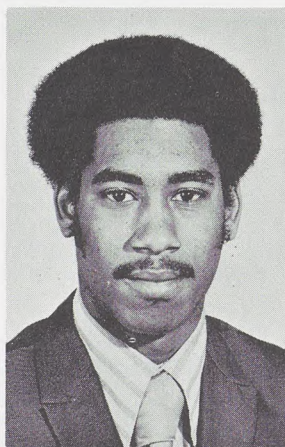
HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Eugene Edwards . . . Two letters in football and four in basketball . . . Captain of Danbury H.S. team



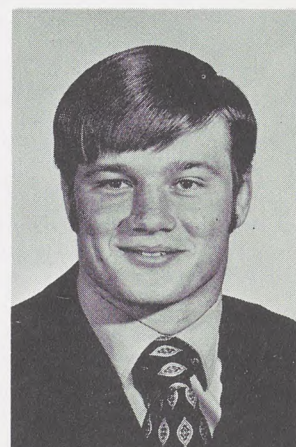
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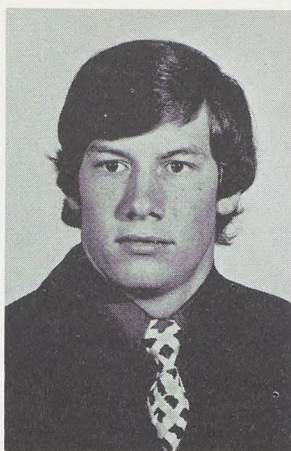


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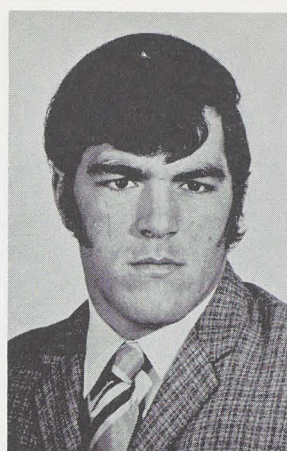




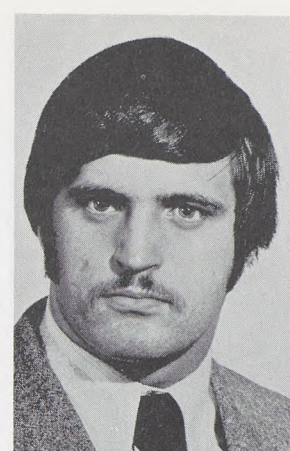
RICK HANS



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JOHN JACQUOT



DAVE KULIK

that ranked 10th in state . . . Honors includes first team all-state and selection for East-West All-Star Game . . . leading back in area with 12 touchdowns and 900 yards rushing . . . Voted team's outstanding player.

PERSONAL: Full name: Alex Femenia . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Fernando Femenia . . . Youngest of three brothers and two sisters . . . Brother Derek is assistant dean of students at Bowling Green and was MVP in basketball at Ohio Northern . . . One wish would be to play pro football . . . Favorite athletes are Larry Csonka and Jim Kiick . . . Born 8-1-53 in Danbury, Conn.

**89 FISHER, Tom, two letters, 21, 6-0, 210, senior, defensive end, Salem, HPE major.** ATHLETIC: Third year as starting defensive end . . . Makes the big play . . . All-league honorable mention did not tell the story of his junior year . . . Tied for third in tackling with 113 . . . Caused three fumbles in Purdue upset to win MAC Player-Of-The-Week honors . . . Three-time winner of defensive "efficiency" award . . . In two seasons, he has caused 14 fumbles and recovered five while catching runners 24 times for losses . . . Has 197 career tackles.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Bob James . . . Three letters as football end and three as basketball forward . . . Captain in football . . . All-county . . . Played in Ohio North-South All-Star Game . . . Played on Big Eight Conference co-championship basketball team.

PERSONAL: Full name: Thomas Christopher Fisher . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Fisher . . . Big family of five brothers and three sisters . . . Likes to build houses with brothers during summers . . . Married to the former Cindy Brown . . . Credits wife with being biggest influence since she "made being something worth while" . . . Born 7-28-51 in Salem, Ohio.

**69 FLOREA, Dave, 20, 6-1, 209, junior, defensive tackle, Canton (Lincoln), art major.** ATHLETIC: Will add depth at tackle this fall . . . Starting middle guard on freshman team two years ago . . . Switched to tackle as sophomore.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Lou Vendetti . . . Two football letters as All-Canton linebacker . . . Football captain . . . Freshman class president.

PERSONAL: Full name: David Florea . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Florea . . . Four brothers and two sisters . . . Wants to be professional artist . . . BG SCHOLAR-ATHLETE during fall term . . . Born 2-19-53 in Canton, Ohio.

**21 GREATHOUSE, Jesse, one letter, 21, 6-0, 180, senior, monsterback, Cleveland (Glenville), speech and hearing major.** ATHLETIC: Moved into starting role midway through season and should be ready again this fall . . . Very aggressive against the run . . . Still looking for first pass interception . . . Had 44 tackles, including five for losses.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Bob Hogue . . . Two letters in football . . . Captain . . . All-East Senate defensive back . . . Once had 80-yard interception return.

PERSONAL: Full name: Jesse Jean Greathouse Jr. . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Greathouse . . . BG SCHOLAR-ATHLETE last year . . . Hobby is cars . . . Wants to be the best and toughest at his position.

Brother Rodney was excellent track hurdler for Glenville a year ago . . . Born 12-31-51 in Huntington, W. Va.

**57 HALL, Tom, two letters, 21, 6-1, 226, senior, defensive tackle, Carey (Bowling Green), elementary education major.** ATHLETIC: First-team all-league tackle as junior . . . Could be in for higher honors as senior . . . Cat-like quickness . . . Starter at middle guard as sophomore and tackle last year . . . Sixth in tackling with 91 last season . . . Has 175 career tackles with 15 tackles for loss, 7 caused fumbles . . . Also has lettered twice as freshman and junior as heavyweight wrestler . . . Has 14-9-2 career record on mats.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Stu Sterns . . . Ten letters as football (4) fullback and tackle, heavyweight wrestler (3) and track (3) weight man . . . Track captain . . . MVP and Great Lakes League champ in wrestling . . . Most valuable offensive back and first-team All-GLL selection.

PERSONAL: Full name: Thomas Daniel Hall . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. James I. Hall . . . Three brothers and two sisters . . . Brother Jim will be BG freshman footballer this fall . . . Active in religious groups on campus . . . Hobby is roller skating . . . Attended marine summer camp last year at Quantico . . . Born 8-7-52 in Carey, Ohio.

**23 HANS, Rick, one letter, 21, 5-10, 177, senior, defensive halfback, Lorain (Senior), industrial education major.** ATHLETIC: Steady and dependable defensive back who may win starting job . . . Looks like fifth back heading into fall . . . Had 14 tackles in limited action . . . Intercepted one pass and returned it 36 yards.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Doug Thompson . . . Two letters in football and three in track . . . UPI All-Ohio first team in football . . . Excellent speed and clocked 220 in 22.1 . . . Top game was against Findlay when he intercepted two passes, scored on a 62-yard pass play and an 82-yard punt return.

PERSONAL: Full name: Rick Anton Hans . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hans . . . Six children in family . . . Brother Don is rated good high school basketball player . . . Has been a lifeguard and shoveled coke for last two summers . . . Born 2-10-52 in Elyria, Ohio.

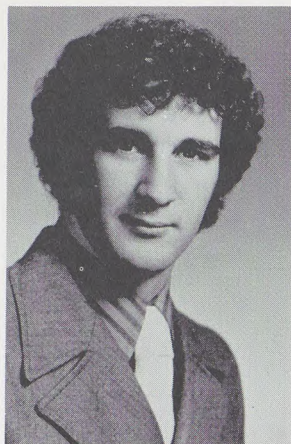
**79 HARMON, Greg, 20, 6-2, 260, junior, strong tackle, Napoleon, HPE major.** ATHLETIC: Rates as BG's biggest lineman after being listed at 225 a year ago . . . Shifted from quick to strong tackle this spring.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Charles Buckenmeyer . . . Six letters as football (2) tackle, heavyweight wrestler (1) and track (3) weight man . . . All-Ohio second-team Class AA in football on undefeated team which captured Northwest Ohio League crown . . . honorable mention Sunkist All-American . . . Football co-captain.

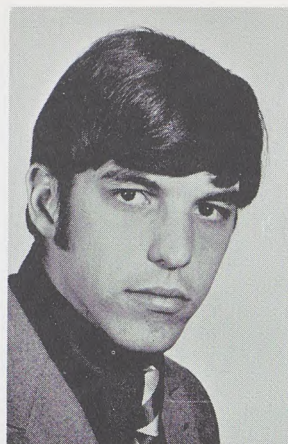
PERSONAL: Full name: Gregory Lynn Harmon . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Junior Harmon . . . One brother and one sister . . . Spends summers moving buildings with father . . . Born 2-21-53 in Napoleon, Ohio.

**58 HARRAMAN, Mike, 20, 6-3, 221, junior, defensive end, New Bloomington (Elgin), biology major.** ATHLETIC: Broken leg took care of his sophomore year . . . Ready for banner year as part of BG's four excellent defensive ends . . . Excellent agility . . . Ranked third in freshman





REID LAMPERT



BOB MARTIN



GARY McBRIDE



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tackling two years ago with 49 stops . . . Had trial as linebacker during sophomore spring drills.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Emil Rubeich . . . Nine letters in four sports . . . All-Ohio Class AA end in football . . . MVP and all-district in basketball . . . School and district record of 6-4 in high jump . . . Won award in baseball as sophomore . . . President of Student Council.

PERSONAL: Full name: Michael Earl Harraman . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Diebert of Marion, Ohio . . . One brother and two sisters . . . Two relatives have attended Bowling Green . . . Hobby is hunting and trapping . . . BG SCHOLAR-ATHLETE during winter term . . . Born 12-23-52 in Marion, Ohio.

**45 HENNEBERRY, Jamie, 21, 5-11, 206, senior, middle guard, Sea Bright, N.J. (Ocean Twp.), HPE major. ATHLETIC:** Still looking for first letter in a career killed by injuries . . . Was starting fullback a year ago when sidelined with pulled hamstring before the first game . . . Made decision this spring to work at middle guard this fall . . . Could win starting job at up-for-grabs position . . . Did carry seven times for 26 yards in 1972.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Jack Tighe . . . Eight letters as football (3) tailback, basketball (3) forward and track (2) javelin thrower . . . All-state first team in football . . . Captain in basketball . . . Team won state Class B football and basketball championships in 1968 . . . Basketball repeated in 1969.

PERSONAL: Full name: James F. Henneberry . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. James Henneberry . . . Father played football and lacrosse at Maine . . . Started playing football in Pop Warner League in sixth grade . . . Hobby is pool . . . Born 3-25-52 in Long Branch, N.J.

**65 HORANSKY, Mark, 19, 6-0, 226, sophomore, strong guard, Cleveland Heights (Cathedral Latin), accounting major. ATHLETIC:** Very much in picture for starting spot at strong guard . . . Good sophomore prospect . . . JV starter . . . Won letter this spring in track while also playing football . . . Placed fourth in MAC shot put as freshman with personal best of 49-4½ . . . Placed fifth in All-Ohio championships.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Jack Zebkar . . . Seven letters as football (3) lineman, track (3) shot putter and basketball (1) forward . . . All-league in football . . . MVP in track . . . Placed sixth in shot put at Ohio track championships.

PERSONAL: Full name: Mark Francis Horansky . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Horansky . . . One sister and two brothers . . . Brother Ted is high school sophomore and talented in football and track . . . Hobby is astronomy . . . Born 12-25-53 in Cleveland, Ohio.

**12 JACKSON, Sherrill, 20, 5-10, 175, sophomore, split end, Wellsville, major is undecided. ATHLETIC:** Will challenge for starting split end position this fall . . . Caught one pass for nine yards on JV team last year . . . Good speed.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Howard Gilger . . . Won 11 letters as football (4) flanker, basketball (3) guard and track (4) sprinter . . . All-Ohio recognition in football . . . All-Eastern Ohio in basketball . . . Captain in both sports . . . Played on three Buckeye Border champion-

ship teams in basketball and on co-champion in football . . . Started all four years in football.

PERSONAL: Full name: Sherrill Edward Jackson . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer E. Jackson . . . Two older sisters . . . Wants to be social worker . . . Born 5-12-53 in Irondale, Ohio.

**74 JACQUOT, John, two letters, 22, 6-1, 221, senior, quick tackle, Toledo (Whitmer), art major. ATHLETICS:** Part-time starter at guard last year . . . Shifted to quick tackle this spring . . . Should start . . . Played tackle as sophomore and was starter on 1970 undefeated freshman team . . . Member of 1971 wrestling team.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Norm Decker . . . Two letters in football and two in wrestling . . . All-NW District second team in football . . . Fifth in state wrestling tournament as senior . . . Football captain . . . Top thrill was intercepting a screen pass and going 45 yards for the winning TD vs. Toledo Central.

PERSONAL: Full name: John Fredrick Jacquot . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Ida M. Lendrum . . . Large family of three older brothers, two older sisters and one younger sister . . . Wants to be commercial artist . . . Worked as night club bouncer . . . Hobby is camping . . . Born 2-23-51 in Toledo, Ohio.

**70 JONES, Gene 18, 6-4, 249, sophomore, strong tackle, East Canton (St. Thomas), science major. ATHLETIC:** Freshman year wiped out with broken leg . . . Did not practice in spring because of operation . . . Considered excellent prospect.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Tom Welsh . . . Two letters in football and one in basketball . . . All-area honorable mention as senior tackle.

PERSONAL: Full name: Eugene Robert Jones . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene W. Jones . . . Father played football and track at Mount Union College . . . One brother . . . Once played the flute . . . Had moment of running sprints in football and running into goal posts so hard that his helmet was smashed . . . Born 7-27-54 in Victorville, Calif.

**56 KRAHE, Tom, 19, 6-1, 211, sophomore, defensive tackle, Bainbridge (Chanel), business major. ATHLETIC:** One of last fall's "walk-ons" who worked his way up to the third team this spring.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Anthony Federico . . . Two letters in football and three in track . . . Captain of football team . . . All-Crown Conferenc first team as defensive tackle . . . Threw the shot and discus . . . Honor student.

PERSONAL: Full name: Thomas Henry Krahe . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Krahe . . . Father was all-star quarterback for Western Reserve . . . Two brothers and two sisters . . . Enjoys hunting and fishing . . . One wish would be to live back in the early 1800's . . . Plays the guitar and saxophone . . . Wants to be an accountant . . . Born 4-16-54 in Cleveland, Ohio.

**61 KULIK, Dave, 20, 6-0, 211, junior, quick guard, Massillon (Washington), history major. ATHLETIC:** Heads into fall drills running with first team . . . Had best spring of any interior lineman . . . Also had good spring



as sophomore to again run with first team . . . Starter on frosh team . . . This should be his year.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Bob Commings . . . One letter as football guard and starter . . . Played on state championship football team which won All-American Conference title.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: David Lee Kulik . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kulik . . . Two brothers and four sisters . . . Hobby is golf . . . Born 10-17-52 in Massillon, Ohio.

**11 LAMPORT, Reid, two letters, 21, 5-11, 180, senior, quarterback, Newton Falls, special education major.** **ATHLETIC:** Has started 14 games during past two seasons . . . Will split duties with Joe Babics this fall . . . Showed excellent potential as sophomore by ranking third in MAC with 71 completions in 154 attempts for 1,006 yards, 7 touchdowns . . . Had sub-par junior year with only 32 per cent completion record . . . Could be one of keys to MAC championship . . . Had good spring with 6 of 16 for 101 yards in spring game . . . In first college game, he led team to upset over Ohio University and was named MAC Player-Of-The-Week . . . His 17 completions vs. Xavier is fifth-best in BG history . . . Stands fifth among BG passers with 99 completions . . . Also seventh in yardage with 1,436 . . . His 248 yards vs. Xavier ranks second on BG books . . . Excellent bowler who has represented BG in intercollegiate competition.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Andy Pike . . . Won 10 letters in four sports as football (3) quarterback, basketball (2) guard, baseball (4) shortstop and track (1) sprinter . . . Second team all-district in football . . . All-league first team two years . . . Played for two Trumbull County League baseball champions and one football titalist . . . Top thrill was 83-yard quarterback sneak although he failed to score when he tripped in the open field.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: Reid Lamport . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lamport . . . Very active in work with mentally-retarded children . . . **BG SCHOLAR-ATHLETE** for winter term with 3.55 average for best on the team . . . Took piano lessons last year . . . Enjoys photography . . . Married to the former Karen Lesler, sports information secretary . . . Born 10-22-51 in Newton Falls, Ohio.

**18 LINDSEY, Chuck, 20, 5-8, 171, sophomore, monster-back, Fremont (Ross), HPE major.** **ATHLETIC:** Became eligible this spring to gain spot among top eight defensive backs . . . Could be surprise in secondary . . . Had three tackles in spring game.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Charles Shuff on Fremont team ranked seventh in UPI poll . . . Won six letters in football (3), baseball (2) and basketball (1) . . . Three-year starter in football . . . Third-team All-Ohio on defense . . . Second-team all-district . . . Top thrill was 99-yard pass interception for TD . . . Captain and MVP in baseball.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: Charles Howard Lindsey . . . Son of Mrs. Ora Lindsay . . . Three brothers and five sisters . . . Favorite athlete is Paul Warfield . . . One wish is to play in varsity game in 1973 . . . Born 6-29-53 in Stringer, Miss.

**47 MACRY, Jim, 21, 5-11, 187, junior, linebacker, New Brighton, Pa. (New Brighton & Massahutten Academy), speech major.** **ATHLETIC:** Should be ready to make contribution after being most efficient defensive lineman on freshman team two years ago . . . Could really help add depth to linebacking picture.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Joe Hamilton at New Brighton and Coach Rich Hubbard for one year as starter at Massahutten Academy . . . Three letters at New Brighton with all-state honors as linebacker . . . Football captain on two Mid-Western Conference championship football teams.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: James Franklin Macry Jr. . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Macry . . . Started playing football in Pop Warner League . . . Summer work as tractor driver . . . Has played the saxophone . . . Enjoys riding bikes and tennis . . . **BG SCHOLAR ATHLETE** in fall term . . . Born 7-7-52 in Beaver Falls, Pa.

**86 MAHONY, Jim, 21, 6-3, 212, junior, tight end, Gates Mills (Cathedral Latin & Fork Union Military Academy), business sales major.** **ATHLETIC:** Will be in tight end picture this fall . . . Third in JV receiving with five catches for 51 yards . . . Had seven catches for 80 yards as freshman.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Tom Ward . . . Two letters in football and three in track . . . Also played one year of football at Fork Union Military Academy . . . Academy team won Virginia Military League Championship in 1970.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: James Thomas Mahony . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. James Mahony . . . Wants to follow father into construction contracting business . . . Uncle played football at Notre Dame . . . Hobby is water skiing . . . Born 1-7-52 in Cleveland, Ohio.

**62 MARTIN, Bob, two letters, 21, 5-11, 216, senior, quick guard, Canton (McKinley), HPE major.** **ATHLETIC:** Came back from knee operation to become starter last year . . . Also was part-time starter as sophomore . . . Developed mono this spring to make status uncertain . . . Rated excellent blocker . . . Should be ready for third year as regular as only returnee on offensive line.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Ron Chismar (now assistant at BG) . . . One letter in football . . . All-American Conference first-team tackle . . . Started on conference championship team . . . Top thrill was beating rival Massillon as senior in final 20 seconds.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: Bob George Martin . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Martin . . . Hobby is gourmet foods . . . Summer work in Canton recreation department . . . Born 2-26-52 in Canton, Ohio.

**77 McBRIDE, Gary, two letters, 21, 6-1, 225, senior, defensive tackle, Niles (McKinley), industrial education major.** **ATHLETIC:** Swing tackle last year who will hold down starting job in 1973 . . . Very strong and aggressive . . . Had 27 tackles last year . . . Saw enough action to letter as sophomore . . . Best game last year was against Toledo.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Bob Shaw . . . Won five letters as football (3) tackle, baseball (1) catcher and basketball (1) forward . . . Second team all-state in football . . . Top thrill was beating Massillon for first time at Massillon . . . Played final three games before 56,000 persons.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: Gary Bradford McBride . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Neal McBride . . . Gary is one of few deaf athletes to play college football . . . Has been deaf since birth . . . Receives defensive signals from lip reading and hand pats from linebacker . . . Very enthusiastic in locker room pep talks . . . Two sisters and two brothers . . . Born 6-24-52 in Warren, Ohio.

**76 MCCARTHY, Tim, 19, 6-3, 237, sophomore, quick tackle, Toledo (Central), major is undecided.** **ATHLETIC:** Could challenge for starting job before season is over . . . Has the size and needs the experience . . . JV starting lineman . . . Started out as defensive tackle.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Tom Kregel . . . Five letters as football (3) fullback and defensive end and basketball (2) center . . . All-city in football . . . Captain and MVP in football . . . Scored four touchdowns in one game as senior.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: Tim Paul McCarthy . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCarthy . . . Had summer job as a gravedigger . . . One sister and one brother . . . Brother Chris is rated excellent wrestler in high school . . . Hobby is hunting and fishing . . . Born 8-13-54 in Toledo, Ohio.



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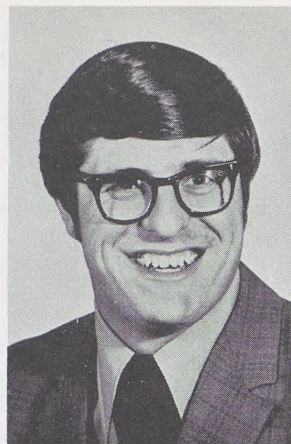


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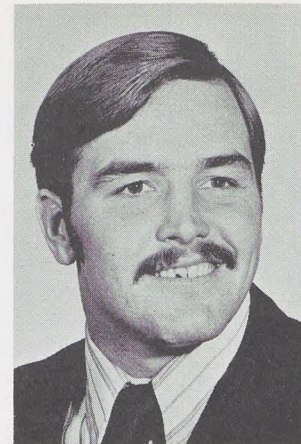
PAUL MILES



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RICK NEWMAN



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**13 McCOY, Ed, one letter, 21, 6-1, 175, senior, punter, Oberlin (Firelands), history major.** ATHLETIC: Fourth leading punter last year in MAC with 35.6 average . . . Punted 63 times for 2,245 yards . . . Had no official punts blocked but made big play in Purdue game when he caught his own partially-blocked punt deep in his own territory and ran it 21 yards for a first down . . . Also saw action with varsity baseball team as pitcher . . . Hurlled four innings for no decision while giving up six hits and four runs. His last year's punting totals rank second on BG books . . . Will also back up at safety and quarterback positions . . . Very valuable man.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Dave Conrad . . . Nine letters as football (2) quarterback, basketball (2) guard, baseball (4) pitcher and track (1) sprinter . . . All-Inland Conference in football and basketball . . . HM all-state in football . . . Played on conference co-champions in football and basketball.

PERSONAL: Full name: Edward Glenn McCoy . . . Nickname of Easy . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. George McCoy . . . Came to BG football as "walk-on" . . . Hobby is golf . . . Born 11-29-51 in Williamson, W. Va.

**50 McMICHAEL, Dave, two letters, 21, 6-0, 209, senior, center, Kettering (Fairmont East), marketing research major.** ATHLETIC: Being groomed to take over the center spot vacated by Jon Brandyberry . . . Was back-up center and guard last year . . . Lettered as swing guard as sophomore . . . Probably the strongest man on the team . . . Made the all-MAC academic team last year . . . Co-captain during spring game.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Doug Schmidt . . . Three letters as football center and linebacker and one award as baseball pitcher . . . All-Western Ohio League for two years . . . All-City as a senior . . . Football Captain . . . Once caught a 78-yard TD pass as a tight end . . . Received the Danny Pugh Award as outstanding athlete in senior class

PERSONAL: Full name: Forrest David McMichael . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest D. McMichael . . . Once fouled out of basketball game in two minutes . . . Hobby is weightlifting . . . BG SCHOLAR-ATHLETE for both fall and winter terms . . . One of the top scholars on the football team with 3.3 academic average . . . Born 5-24-52 in Dayton, Ohio.

**85 MECZKA, Greg, two letters, co-captain, 21, 6-3, 219, senior, tight end, Seven Hills (Parma Normandy), marketing research major.** ATHLETIC: All-MAC second team last season . . . Ready for third year as starter . . . Loss of 15 pounds helped speed this spring . . . Could be key to passing game . . . Third in receiving last year with eight for 129 yards . . . One TD grab was 37-yarder vs. Tampa . . . Caught 11 for 157 as sophomore . . . Pro scouts are looking.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Joe Carlo . . . Six letters as football (2) end, basketball (2) forward, and baseball (2) first baseman . . . Captain of football and basketball teams . . . All-league in football

and baseball . . . Once made 50-foot jump shot in basketball to win game . . . Class president.

PERSONAL: Full name: Greg Paul Meczka . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Meczka . . . Twin sisters . . . Engaged to Robin Hill, BG senior and high school classmate . . . November wedding is planned . . . Named outstanding male and female senior athletes in high school . . . BG SCHOLAR-ATHLETE during fall and winter terms . . . Born 3-25-52 in Eastlake, Ohio.

**29 MILES, Paul, two letters, 21, 6-0, 190, senior, tailback, Paulding, biology major.** ATHLETIC: Expected to become BG's all-time leading rusher this fall . . . Could become first MAC player to gain more than 3,000 yards in a running career . . . Outstanding career totals are 2,209 yards in 517 attempts for 12 touchdowns and a 4.3 average . . . Slashing off-tackle runner . . . Will be a top pro draft pick . . . Two-time honorable mention AP All-America . . . Two-time all-MAC first team tailback . . . Sophomore All-America by Football News . . . Named sixth best sophomore in nation by Gridiron . . . Ranked 10 in national rushing charts with 1,185 yards as sophomore and 21st as junior with 1,024 yards . . . First in MAC rushing as soph and second as junior . . . Gained 100 or more yards in 10 of 20 college games . . . Two-time MAC Player-Of-The-Week . . . Made UPI national backfield of week with 192-yard game vs. Kent as soph . . . Best game was 217 yards and four touchdowns vs. Marshall last year . . . Stands 10th on MAC career rushing charts . . . Holds or shares five of nine BG rushing records . . . Ranks second in two others . . . Single-game marks of 37 attempts, 217 yards and four touchdowns . . . BG most valuable player as sophomore . . . Most efficient offensive back as junior with 8 weekly awards in 10 games . . . Also is a two-year letterman in baseball as an outfielder . . . Batted .200 in 34 games to follow up .223 mark as sophomore . . . Hits the long ball with seven home runs and seven doubles in two seasons.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Leo Stiger . . . Nine letters in football (3), track (2), basketball (3) and baseball (1) . . . As a junior he ran for 1560 yards and scored 182 points and was named to the All-Ohio first team on Defense and second team on Offense . . . As a senior he gained 1588 yards and scored 176 points and was named to the all-state second team on defense and third on offense . . . MVP in football, basketball and track as senior . . . All-league in baseball as sophomore.

PERSONAL: Full name: Paul Joseph Miles . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Miles . . . One brother and three sisters . . . BG SCHOLAR-ATHLETE during fall term . . . Has developed own night club act as singer . . . Composes many of his own folk-rock songs . . . Calls them "thought songs of today." . . . Plays guitar . . . Nephew of Carlos Jackson, BG assistant coach and former Falcon halfback . . . Uncle is Grant Jackson, the baseball pitcher . . . Seven relatives have attended BG . . . Collects hats . . . Active campus leader . . . President for internal affairs of the Interfraternity Council . . . President of Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity . . . Born 3-25-52 in Fostoria, Ohio.



**44 MIXON, Gary, 21, 5-9, 190, junior, linebacker, Columbus (Eastmoor), business major. ATHLETIC:** Playing at third position in three years . . . Expected to add depth at linebacker . . . Middle guard as freshman although injury limited play to one game . . . JV as sophomore with trial as monsterback . . . Has excellent ability.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Robert Stuart . . . Three letters as football linebacker and wingback . . . All-Ohio honors in football . . . Three-year starter . . . Played on 1971 Columbus City League champions in football.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: Gary Linn Mixon . . . Son of Mr. Carnal T. Mixon . . . Favorite athlete is Jim Brown . . . Born 9-4-51 in Columbus, Ohio.

**59 MOLK, Brett, 21, 6-0, 213, senior, center, Kenton, HPE major. ATHLETIC:** Seeking his first letter . . . Has been back-up center for last two years . . . Steady and solid player.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Chris Geesman . . . Three letters in football . . . Played defensive end on Western Buckeye League second-place team in 1970 . . . Team went 9-1 for best mark in history.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: Brett Franklin Molk . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd A. Molk . . . BG SCHOLAR-ATHLETE for last two years . . . plays the piano, poorly . . . Hobbies are cars and motorcycles . . . Born 3-17-52 in Kenton, Ohio.

**10 MORIARTY, Tom, 20, 5-11, 174, sophomore, tailback, University Heights (Benedictine), pre-law major. ATHLETIC:** Averaged 4.4 yards a carry on JV team with 53 in 12 runs . . . Listed on third-team at start of fall drills . . . Carried 10 times for 16 yards in spring game.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Augie Bossu . . . Seven letters as football (2) halfback, basketball (2) guard and track (3) sprinter . . . Leading ground gainer of 1971 city championship football team which also won title in 1970.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: Thomas E. Moriarty . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Moriarty . . . Father played varsity football and baseball at Ohio State . . . One older sister and two younger brothers . . . Brother Pat is rated excellent athlete in prep football, basketball and track . . . Brother Mike also has potential . . . Born 4-7-53 in Lima, Ohio.

**7 NEWMAN, Rick, two letters, 21, 6-0, 201, senior, wingback, Fairview Park, English major. ATHLETIC:** Third year as a starter and flip-flop artist . . . Split end as sophomore . . . Ranked third in MAC receiving with 25 catches for 443 yards . . . All-MAC honorable mention as soph . . . Starting defensive halfback as junior . . . Intercepted one pass, recovered two fumbles and had 54 tackles . . . Looks like starting wingback on offense this fall . . . Top game was Xavier with seven catches for 128 yards . . . Caught three for 15 yards in spring game.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Tom French . . . Eight letters as football (3) end, basketball (2) forward and track (3) sprinter . . . All-district honors in football . . . Also all-league and all-scholastic pick.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: Richard George Newman Jr. . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard G. Newman . . . One brother and one sister . . . Summer job of painting lines on highways . . . Born 9-17-52 in Lakewood, Ohio.

**75 NICKEY, Ron, 19, 6-2, 208, sophomore, defensive tackle, Bowling Green, undecided in major. ATHLETIC:** Had excellent spring and looks like solid back-up at tackle as sophomore . . . Played on both teams in spring game . . . Also got brief look at middle guard and may get trial there in fall . . . Considered one of best sophs on team . . . Not big but quick . . . JV starter.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Stu Stearns . . . Three letters as football tackle and two as baseball outfielder . . . Two time all-league first team selection . . . Honorable mention All-Ohio . . . Co-Captain of football and baseball teams . . . Second-team All-Great Lakes League in baseball . . . Played on league football and baseball championship teams.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: Ronald Owen Nickey . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nickey . . . Older brother Don attends Kent State . . . BG SCHOLAR ATHLETE in winter term . . . Interested in science . . . Attended national science camp two summers ago . . . Hobby is rifle shooting . . . Born 2-6-53 in Bowling Green, Ohio.

**73 OBROVAC, Nick, 20, 6-3, 266, junior, strong tackle, Canton (McKinley), art major. ATHLETIC:** Ticketed for action this year after seeing limited duty last season . . . Most efficient offensive lineman on freshman team . . . Scored TD as frosh offensive lineman when he caught batted pass and ran for three yards to score . . . Frosh co-captain.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Ron Chismar (now assistant at BG) . . . Two letters in football . . . Third-team All-Ohio in football . . . Won all-city and all-county honors on 1970 All-American Conference champions.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: Nicholas John Obrovac . . . Son of Mrs. Vilma Obrovac . . . Two brothers and one sister . . . Brother George (6-4, 240) will be freshman football player at Bowling Green . . . Brother Mike is playing football at McKinley . . . Wants to be advertiser . . . BG SCHOLAR-ATHLETE for last two years . . . Born 12-9-52 in Canton, Ohio.

**54 PENTA, Garry, 20, 5-9, 211, junior, quick guard, Long Branch, N.J., HPE major. ATHLETIC:** Will be playing at third position in three years . . . Tackle as freshman . . . Strong guard as sophomore . . . Quick guard as junior.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Three letters in football as guard and defensive end . . . All-Shore honors.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: Garry A. Penta . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Garry M. Penta . . . One sister . . . Father played football, basketball and baseball at Rutgers . . . Summer work a camp coach and counselor . . . Born 3-31-53 in Long Branch, N.J.

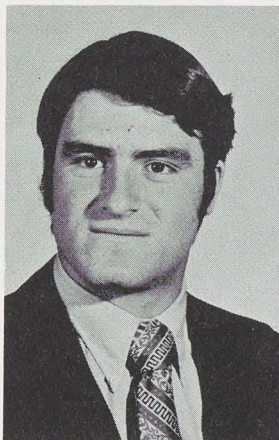
**43 POLAK, Phil, two letters, 21, 6-0, 208, senior, fullback, Parma (Senior), business major. ATHLETIC:** Exploded last year to win second-team All-MAC honors and become the best fullback in the league . . . Ranked third in MAC rushing with 783 yards . . . Averaged five yards a try in 156 rushes . . . Quick starter with good speed . . . Scored five TDs . . . BG's most valuable offensive player . . . Reached the 100-yard level twice with best game coming vs. Kent . . . Had 73-yard run for TD and gained 140 yards in 15 carries . . . Carried the ball only eight times as sophomore behind all-league Jerry Fields . . . Gives BG best one-two rushing punch in league . . . Averaged 7.3 yards on 1970 frosh team.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Jack Ruvolo . . . Four letters as football fullback . . . All-Lake Erie League honors . . . Two-year starter.

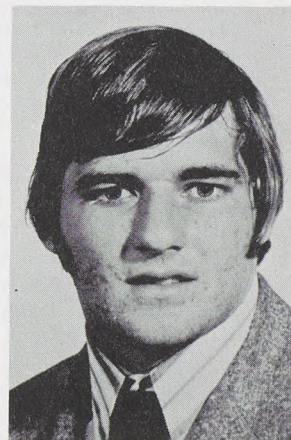
**PERSONAL:** Full name: Philip Frank Polak . . . Nickname is Maddog . . . Son of Mrs. Ann Polak . . . Brother Dave was all-league line-backer for BG in 1969 . . . One brother and two sisters . . . Hobby is reconditioning things . . . Also likes riding jeeps . . . Born 10-15-51 in Cleveland, Ohio.

**78 QUINN, Tim, one letter, 21, 6-3, 235, senior, strong guard, Eastlake (North), HPE major. ATHLETIC:** Expected to move into starting role after earning letter as second-team tackle last fall . . . Will have to hold off two strong challengers . . . Had good spring.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Vic McIntyre . . . Six letters as football (2) tackle, basketball (1) forward and track (3) shot putter

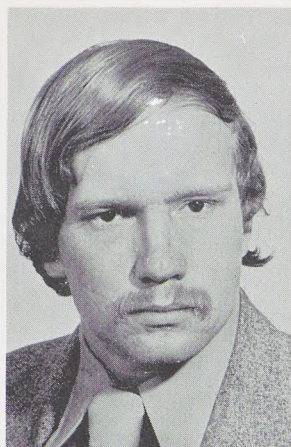


TIM QUINN



JOE RUSSELL





MIKE SCHMIDT

... Captain of track and basketball teams ... UPI All-Ohio honorable mention in football ... All-county in football.

PERSONAL: Full name: Tim C. Quinn ... Son of Mr. and Mrs. James Quinn ... Wants to be coach ... Hobby is weightlifting ... Summer work as lifeguard and pool manager ... Born 5-1-52 in East Cleveland, Ohio.

**52 REYNOLDS, Jim, 21, 5-10, 211, junior, linebacker, Ashland (Mapleton & transfer from Cincinnati), general business major. ATHLETIC:** Will see first action this fall since transferring from Cincinnati ... Enjoyed good spring ... Could also be projected into middle guard picture besides backing up the line.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Jim Reynolds, his father ... Collected 10 letters in football (3), wrestling (3) track (3) and baseball (1) ... Ohio Class A defensive player of the year ... All-Firelands Conference linebacker for two years ... Also made all-area ... Led team to two league titles ... Captain ... National Honor Society with 3.6 average ... Shot put and discus in track.

PERSONAL: Full name: James Warren Reynolds ... Son of Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds ... One brother and one sister ... Painter during summers ... Clint Eastwood is favorite actor ... Born 5-20-52 in Ashland, Ohio.

**51 RUSSELL, Joe, one letter, 20, 6-1, 227, junior, linebacker, Parma (Normandy), chemistry major. ATHLETIC:** Only sophomore to start all 10 games last season ... Considered outstanding prospect for national honors in two years ... Will team with John Villapiano to give BG one of best linebacking pairs in Midwest this fall ... Ranked second in tackling with 141 ... Had one pass interception ... Nominated for MAC weekly honors after being in on 29 tackles in the Tampa game.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Joe Carlo ... Six letters as football (2) linebacker, basketball (2) forward and baseball (2) infielder ... All-Lake Erie League in football ... Captain of football and baseball teams ... MVP in football and baseball.

PERSONAL: Full name: Joseph Edward Russell Jr. ... Son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Russell ... Three sisters ... Wants to be doctor ... BG SCHOLAR-ATHLETE for two years ... Born 5-26-53 in Cleveland, Ohio.

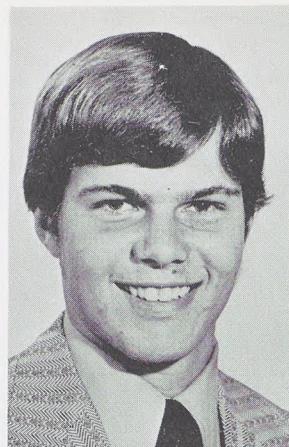
**72 SCHMIDT, Mike, 20, 6-5, 233, junior, strong tackle, Graytown (Cardinal Stritch), industrial technology major. ATHLETIC:** Looked like the top choice to replace all-league tackle John Czerwinski in spring drills ... Will have to battle to hold down starting role this fall ... Started on frosh team ... Played JV last season.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Marty Vieth ... Three letters as football tackle and three awards as basketball center ... First-team All-Metro and second-team all-district in football.

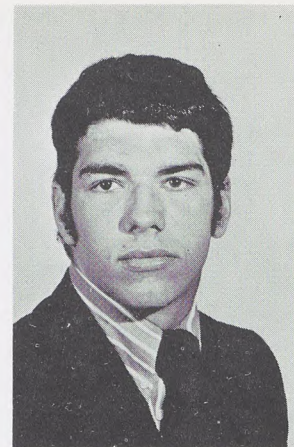
PERSONAL: Full name: Michael Jay Schmidt ... Nickname is Big Red ... Son of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Schmidt ... Three brothers and one sister ... Wants to be computer programmer ... Hobby is horses



STEVE STUDER



DON TAYLOR



KEVIN TAYLOR

... Once had summer job of being railroad fireman ... Born 6-23-53 in Toledo, Ohio.

**19 SHERRELL, Mitch, 19, 6-1, 178, sophomore, safety, Dennison (Claymont), graphic communication major. ATHLETIC:** Should be one of top six defensive backs this fall ... Held down starting job on JV team ... Excellent sophomore prospect.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Dan Brooks ... Seven letters as football (2) quarterback and defensive back, basketball (2) forward and track (3) hurdler ... All-Ohio honors in football ... Captain of football and track teams ... Qualified for state track meet in mile relay.

PERSONAL: Full name: Michael Wayne Sherrell ... Son of Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt Sherrell ... Two brothers ... Hobby is fishing ... Born 1-1-54 in Dennison, Ohio.

**30 SNOWDEN, Jim, 20, 5-11, 159, junior, split end, Granada Hills, Calif., pre-law major. ATHLETIC:** Moved into second-team spot as wide receiver after spring drills ... Led freshman team two years ago with 149 yards receiving on just five catches ... Caught two passes in spring game for 23 yards.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Los Angeles City championship team ... Two letters in football ... As senior he caught 55 passes for 930 yards and 11 touchdowns ... All-San Fernando Valley League recognition.

PERSONAL: Full name: James Charles Snowden ... Son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Snowden ... Father was a swimmer at Indiana University and last year served as president of the Big Ten Club of California when BG beat Purdue ... Three younger brothers ... Born 3-5-53 in Denver, Col.

**53 SPANN, Tom, 19, 6-1, 200, sophomore, linebacker, Independence, biology major. ATHLETIC:** One of the surprises of spring drills ... A "walk-on" candidate who should stick with the varsity.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Ben Amarri ... Eight letters in football (3), basketball (2) and track (3) ... Made the Cuyahoga Conference first defensive team ... Captain of football team which held foes to 46 points in nine games ... Guard on basketball team which was the district title ... Also basketball captain ... Threw the shot in track.

PERSONAL: Full name: Thomas Russell Spann ... Son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo R. Spann ... Father played four years of football for Western Reserve around 1950 ... Two brothers and two sisters ... Older brother Mark played basketball at Wittenberg Univ ... Born 1-8-54 in Barberton, Ohio.

**87 STEPHAN, Rob, 19, 6-3, 207, sophomore, tight end, Massillon (Washington), history major. ATHLETIC:** Was pushing for starting job in spring ... Injuries hampered freshman year ... Considered excellent sophomore prospect.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Bob Commings ... Five letters as football (2) end, basketball (1) center and track (2) hurdler ... Second



team All-Ohio in football . . . First team All-American Conference . . . Played on state top-ranked football team in 1970.

PERSONAL: Full name: Robert Stephan . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stephan . . . Two brothers and one sister . . . Grandfather played shortstop for St. Louis . . . BG SCHOLAR-ATHLETE during fall term . . . Hobby is camping . . . Born 7-4-54 in Massillon, Ohio.

**55 STUDER, Steve, one letter, 20, 6-0, 223, sophomore, center, Massillon (Washington), art major. ATHLETIC:** One of two freshmen to earn letter on varsity . . . Is a specialist at center . . . Did not have a bad snap on punts or placements last year . . . Will see lots of action this fall . . . Possibly the best sophomore on team.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Bob Commings . . . Two letters in football and three in wrestling . . . Member of 1971 Letterman Magazine All-American football team . . . Named to North squad for Ohio North South All-Star game . . . Captain and sectional champ in wrestling . . . Starting center on 1970 state championship football team.

PERSONAL: Full name: Steve Paul Studer . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Studer . . . One brother and one sister . . . Hobbies are drawing and painting . . . Born 2-4-53 in Massillon, Ohio.

**6 TAYLOR, Don, one letter, 19, 5-9, 181, sophomore, kicker, North Canton, (Oakwood), business administration major. ATHLETIC:** Fired off 29-yard field goal heard around the world at 14:07 in fourth quarter as BG upset Purdue, 17-14 . . . He went on to set BG season and career records with eight field goals . . . Made 14 of 19 extra points to rank second in the MAC in kick-scoring . . . Second on team in scoring with 38 points . . . Also provided winning points vs. Miami and Dayton . . . Has worked on adding distance to placements . . . Longest FG was 38 yards . . . Can also punt if needed.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach John Muhlback . . . Two letters in football . . . Tied school record with 38.5 punting average . . . Handled all the kicking as senior.

PERSONAL: Full name: Donald Milton Taylor . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Taylor . . . Wants to be a professional kicker . . . Has regulation goal post in front yard . . . Missed all five of his FG attempts in high school . . . Four were from 40 yards or more and the fifth was blocked . . . Walked on campus five days before Purdue game . . . Hobby is kicking . . . BG SCHOLAR-ATHLETE for winter term . . . Born 3-4-54 in Canton, Ohio.

**82 TAYLOR, Kevin, two letters, 20, 6-3, 226, senior, defensive end, Lambertville, Mich. (Bedford), biology major. ATHLETIC:** Will have to battle Mike Harrman to retain starting position he had last year . . . Fifth in tackles with 94 . . . Led the team with 21 tackles for loss . . . Caused three fumbles and recovered one . . . Broken hand cost him starting shot as sophomore.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Ray Kwiatkowski . . . Six letters as football (2) end, basketball (2) forward and baseball (2) catcher . . . All-Metro in Toledo area as senior . . . Two-year starter in all three sports.

PERSONAL: Full name: Kevin Ray Taylor . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor . . . Father graduated from Toledo in 1950 . . . One brother and one sister . . . Hobbies are fishing, hunting and trapping . . . Born 11-19-52 in Toledo, Ohio.

**31 THOMAS, Hal, 19, 6-0, 169, junior, wingback, Columbus (East), sociology major. ATHLETIC:** Has the speed and hands to be a deep threat in the receiving game . . . Had excellent spring . . . Caught four passes for 88 yards in spring game . . . Will battle Rick Newman for starting wingback post . . . Can also play split end . . . Played in only one JV game last year but led team in receiving for season with seven catches for 165 yards against Miami.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Mike Gordon . . . Six letters as football (2) quarterback, basketball (1) guard and track (3) sprinter . . . As a sophomore, he was a member of state championship basketball team and city champions in track . . . City track champion in 100 and 440 . . . champion in 220 and 440 . . . Captain in football.

PERSONAL: Full name: George Hal Thomas . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas . . . Younger brother is Danny Thomas . . . Plays the French horn and trumpet . . . Summer job with state department of agriculture . . . Born 10-5-53 in Columbus, Ohio.

**26 THOMPSON, Art, 19, 5-9, 172, sophomore, defensive halfback, Massillon (Washington), industrial technology major. ATHLETIC:** Could be the only sophomore to crack starting lineup after fine spring practice . . . JV starter with one pass interception . . . Saw brief varsity action as frosh.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Bob Commings . . . Two letters in football and two in track . . . First-team All-American Conference defensive back . . . Starter on 1970 state championship football team . . . Third longest interception run (78 yards) in Massillon history.

PERSONAL: Full name: Arthur Thompson . . . Son of Mrs. Lonnie Thompson . . . Youngest in family of five sisters and one brother . . . Wants to build his own home someday . . . Hobby is model cars . . . Plays the dums . . . Born 12-19-53 in Massillon, Ohio.

**5 TRACE, Dennis, 20, 5-11, 177, junior, safety, Amherst (Marion Steele), industrial technology major. ATHLETIC:** Will shift to safety position in fall after working at tailback during spring . . . Carried five times for 23 yards in JV play last year . . . Leading receiver on freshman team with eight catches for 113 yards . . . Played wingback as sophomore.

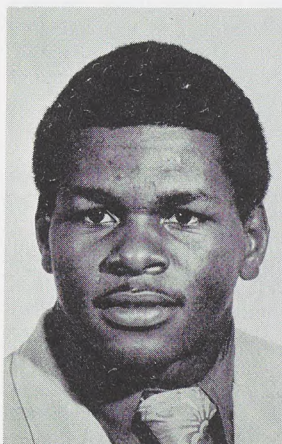
HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach Walt Armour . . . Eight letters as football (3) halfback, track (3) decathlon performer and basketball (2) forward . . . Played on Lakeland Conference championship football team in 1969 and three-time track championship squads . . . 1971 Lorain County Decathlon champion . . . All-league defensive back in football.

PERSONAL: Full name: Dennis Scott Trace . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer C. Trace . . . One brother and one sister . . . Father played football at Case . . . Hobby is golf and hunting . . . Born 9-3-52 in Lakewood, Ohio.

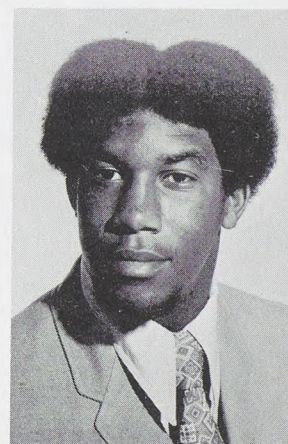
**39 TRAMBA, Todd, 19, 5-11, 208, sophomore, fullback, Richfield (Revere), business administration major. ATHLETIC:** Had a good spring and should supply depth at fullback . . . Carried the ball four times for 13 yards on JV team . . . Another "Walk-On" who could see action.

HIGH SCHOOL: Played for Coach John Fuller . . . Nine letters as football (3) fullback, basketball (3) forward and baseball (3) pitcher . . . Suburban League second team in football . . . Best game was 156 yards in 29 carries vs. Coventry . . . Most valuable in baseball . . . League champs in basketball and baseball at senior . . . Led league in hitting with .548 average.

PERSONAL: Full name: Todd Stanley Tramba . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Tramba . . . Three sisters . . . Ambition is to own his own company . . . Favorite athlete is Larry Czonka . . . Born 9-27-53 in Richfield, Ohio.

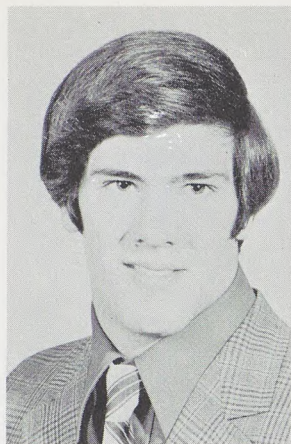


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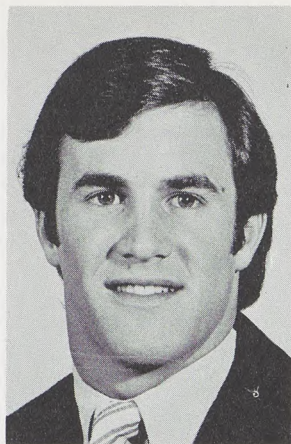


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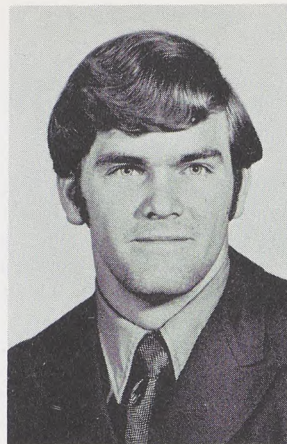




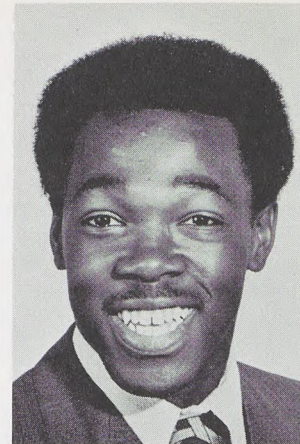
JOHN VILLAPIANO



ROGER WALLACE



HAL WATZ



MYRON WILSON

**83 TURNER, Dave, one letter, 21, 6-3, 203, junior, defensive end, Canton (McKinley), English major. ATHLETIC:** Shifted to defensive end in spring after winning letter at monsterback . . . Started five games last season . . . Had 44 tackles with 9 going for losses . . . Perfected the monster blitz last season . . . Had six tackles in spring game with two sacking the quarterback for 24 yards . . . Exciting player . . . Also played freshman basketball.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Ron Chismar (now BG assistant) . . . Three letters in football and four in basketball . . . All-district performer in both sports . . . Captain of football team.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: David Frederick Turner . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Turner . . . One of five brothers in family . . . Born 5-9-52 in Canton, Ohio.

**41 VILLAPIANO, John, two letter, co-captain, 21, 5-11, 185, senior, linebacker, Oakhurst, N.J. (Ocean Twp.), information systems major. ATHLETIC:** Starting third year as regular linebacker . . . Finished third in balloting for MAC's outstanding defensive player award . . . Second-team all-league and should have been higher . . . Led team with 160 tackles with 13 going for losses . . . Very quick . . . Received outstanding player award in ABC TV game against Miami . . . Also won MAC Player-Of-The-Week honors with 22 tackles against Miami . . . Had 160 tackles as sophomore . . . Most valuable defensive lineman on freshman team.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Jack Tighe . . . Eight letters as football (3) linebacker, basketball (2) forward and baseball (3) pitcher . . . All-Shore in football and all-state in baseball . . . Played on All-Shore football champions . . . Top thrill is pitching no-hitter in championship baseball game.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: John A. Villapiano . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Villapiano . . . Father played football at DePauw University . . . Brother Phil was AFC defensive rookie of the year in 1971 for Oakland Raiders and MAC Lineman-Of-The-Year for BG in 1970 . . . Wedding bells are set for this August . . . Hobby is playing cards . . . Born 11-17-51 in Asbury Park, N.J.

**84 WALLACE, Roger, two letters, 21, 5-10, 178, senior, split end, Urbana, HPE major. ATHLETIC:** BG's leading receiver last year with 16 catches for 242 yards and 2 TDs . . . Good speed and excellent hands . . . Caught seven passes for 72 yards in spring game . . . Second year as starter . . . Had 10 catches for 99 yards as sophomore.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Ray Dillahunt . . . Ten letters as football (3) quarterback, basketball (3) guard and track (4) sprinter . . . All-Southwestern District quarterback . . . MVP as junior and senior in football . . . Miami Valley League 100-yard dash champion . . . Named school's outstanding athlete as senior.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: Roger Lee Wallace . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs.

Roger F. Wallace . . . Three sisters . . . He and his wife, Shelly, have a daughter Laurel . . . Uncle Dean Wallace played basketball at Wittenberg . . . BG SCHOLAR-ATHLETE for fall term . . . Hobby is snow skiing . . . Born 7-22-52 in Urbana, Ohio.

**17 WATSON, Mike, 19, 5-10, 190, sophomore, tailback, Akron (South), industrial technology major. ATHLETIC:** Led JV team in rushing with 326 yards in three games . . . Averaged 4.8 yards a try . . . Carried one time for one yard in varsity game and scored TD vs. Marshall . . . Will see action behind Miles this fall . . . Considered one of best sophomores.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Ronald Vargo . . . Three letters in baseball and three in football . . . Two-year all-city in both football and baseball . . . Captain and MVP for two years in both football and baseball . . . Once ran 89 yards for TD . . . Pitcher and catcher in baseball.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: Michael Alphonso Watson . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Watson . . . Four brothers and three sisters . . . One set of twins in family . . . Born 7-13-54 in Elberton, Ga.

**81 WILKER, Thom, 19, 6-3, 200, sophomore, defensive end, Amherst, business administration major. ATHLETIC:** Offensive lineman as freshman on JV team . . . Switched to defensive end during spring.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Walt Armour . . . Two letters in football . . . All-Lakeland Conference as linebacker and end . . . Football captain . . . Played on conference championship football team in 1969.

**PERSONAL:** Full name: Thomas Brett Wilker . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wilker . . . One brother and one sister . . . Born 1-27-54 in Amherst, Ohio.

**22 WILSON, Myron, two letters, 21, 6-0, 195, senior, defensive halfback, Cleveland (Glenville), HPE major. ATHLETIC:** Second-team all-MAC defensive back in 1972 . . . Third year as starter . . . BG's most efficient defensive back in 1972 . . . Third year as starter . . . BG's most efficient defensive back in 1972 . . . Being watched by the pros . . . Has four career pass interceptions . . . Had 60 tackles including nine for losses . . . Tackles numbered 51 as sophomore.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for Coach Bob Hogue . . . Two football letters as split end . . . Two-year regular in football.

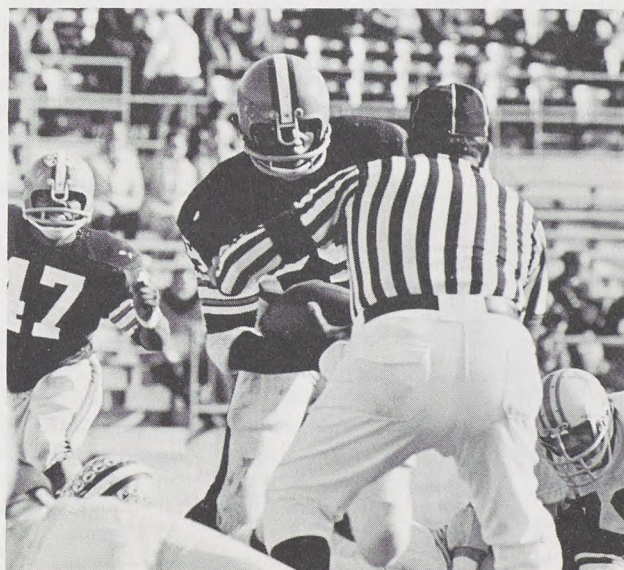
**PERSONAL:** Full name: Myron Luther Wilson . . . Son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wilson . . . Three brothers and two sisters . . . Born 11-19-51 in Pattison, Miss.



## MEET THE FRESHMAN FALCONS

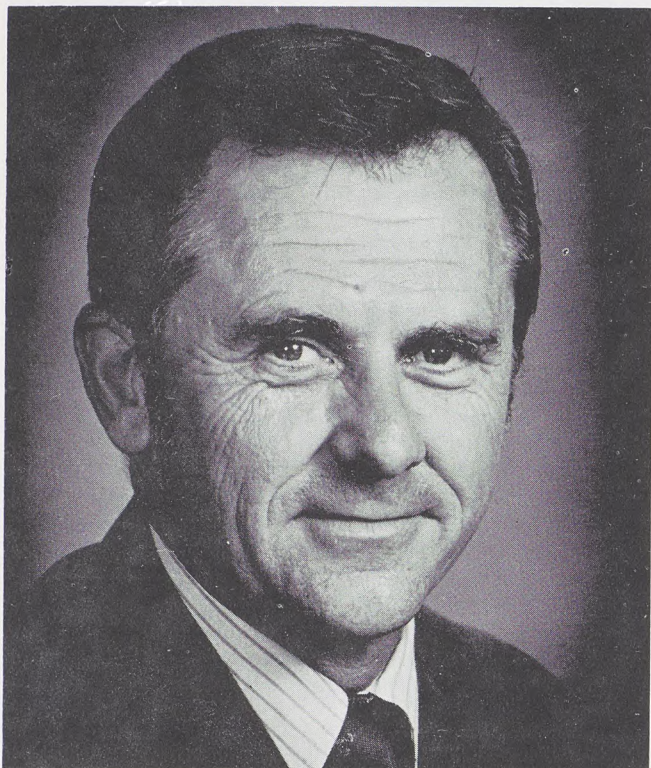
- BECHERUCCI, DOUG** . . . DT/E . . . Canton Lincoln . . . Stark County second team . . . Hall of Fame Conference first team . . . heavyweight wrestler . . . Born 6-5-55.
- BLACK, MIKE** . . . FB . . . Newark . . . UPI All-Ohio third team . . . Canton All-Star Game . . . Central Ohio League first team . . . Captain . . . Scored 10 TDs and averaged 6.6 yards . . . Also three letters in track . . . Born 3-11-55.
- BOOTH, MIKE** . . . QB . . . Dearborn (Mich.) Edsel Ford . . . All-state second team . . . Detroit-Metro first team . . . Suburban Eight first team . . . Completed 81 of 134 passes for 1,418 yards and 20 TDs as senior . . . Captain . . . Also captain of basketball team . . . Born 5-8-55.
- BROWN, DAVE** . . . MG . . . Centerville . . . Canton All-Star Game . . . Southwestern Ohio & Dayton Area recognition . . . Captain . . . State champion in wrestling . . . Never taken down in two years . . . Born 5-11-54.
- DAVIDSON, GREG** . . . DHB . . . Berea . . . Cleveland Plain Dealer & Cleveland Press recognition . . . Greater Cleveland Conference first team . . . Ranked second in state in interceptions . . . Captain and MVP in basketball . . . Brother Honester lettered as starter for BG in 1969 . . . Born 2-14-54.
- DUDLEY, DAVE** . . . SE/DHB . . . Bowling Green . . . Toledo Times Area first team . . . Great Lakes League first team . . . Best game was five TDs and 277 yards vs. Perrysburg . . . Basketball, baseball, track . . . Father, Robert, was assistant coach at BG for 16 years before becoming athletic administrative assistant . . . Born 5-8-55.
- EYSEN, BILL** . . . QB/S . . . Brunswick . . . Plain Dealer Dream Team . . . Chippewa Conference honorable mention . . . Captain of basketball team . . . Four letters in golf . . . Born 10-29-73.
- HALL, JIM** . . . FB/LB . . . Carey . . . Brother of Tom Hall, BG senior and all-league defensive tackle . . . Other information not available at press time.
- HARRELL, VANCE** . . . WB/DHB . . . Delaware Hayes . . . Columbus Dispatch area recognition . . . Best game was four TDs and 152 yards vs Reynoldsburg . . . Averaged 5.9 yards per carry . . . Captain and Capital Conference first team in basketball . . . Born 12-26-54.
- KELLY, ED** . . . DE . . . Lima Shawnee . . . Information not available at press time.
- KUEHL, STEVE** . . . TB . . . Lima Central Catholic . . . All-Ohio recognition . . . Canton All-Star Game . . . Lima News first team . . . MVL first team . . . Captain . . . Best game was 229 yards rushing in three quarters . . . School records in 100-yard dash and discus . . . Scored 19 TDs and gained 1,400 yards as senior . . . Wrestling . . . Born 9-11-55.
- OBROCK, JOHN** . . . E . . . Lake H.S. . . . All-Ohio second team . . . Toledo Times All-Star first team . . . Northern Lakes League first team . . . School's outstanding senior athlete . . . Most valuable in basketball . . . Track hurdler and discus man . . . Holds five school records in football . . . Born 1-2-55.
- OBROVAC, GEORGE** . . . T . . . Canton McKinley . . . Stark County first team . . . All-American Conference first team . . . Who's Who All-American honorable mention . . . All-Ohio mention . . . Brother Nick is junior tackle on BG team . . . Born 2-18-54.
- OTLEY, JIM** . . . DE/DT . . . Bowling Green . . . School record for longest punt . . . Did not play football in 1972 . . . Great Lakes League honorable mention as junior . . . GLL first team in wrestling . . . Also lettered in track . . . Born 6-25-53.
- PRESTON, DAVE** . . . TB . . . Defiance . . . All-district recognition . . . Captain and MVP . . . Ran for 1,007 yards . . . Also attended Centerville H.S. where he set track records in hurdles and long jump . . . Father Richard was All-American honorable mention at Miami in 1948 . . . Born 5-29-55.
- ROBERTSON, JEFF** . . . WB/SE . . . Centerburg . . . UPI Class A Back Of The Year . . . AP All-Ohio recognition . . . AP All-district first team . . . Mid-Buckeye Conference first team . . . Captain . . . Best game was 269 yards and five TDs . . . Scored 15 TDs and had 1,300 yards . . . All-league in basketball . . . Track records in 100 (10.0) and 220 (22.3) . . . Born 12-8-54.
- SALEET, DAN** . . . QB . . . Lakewood . . . Plain Dealer Dream Team . . . Lake Erie League first team . . . Captain and most valuable offensive player . . . Captain of basketball and track teams . . . Completed 49 of 100 passes . . . Born 6-19-55.
- STEELE, TOM** . . . LB/DT . . . Lancaster . . . All-Ohio third team . . . All-district first team . . . Central Ohio League first team . . . State meet in swimming . . . Track record of 59-1 for indoor state meet at Ashland . . . Born 4-15-55.
- VENDITTE, TONY** . . . FB . . . Canton Lincoln . . . Stark County second team . . . Hall of Fame Conference first team . . . Best game was three touchdowns and 233 yards vs. Youngstown Ryan . . . Captain . . . Track . . . Football team was league champions . . . Coached by his father, Lou Venditti . . . Born 11-4-54.
- WAKEFIELD, DENNIS** . . . E . . . Avon Lake . . . Information not available at press time.
- WHIDDEN, BILL** . . . LB/DE . . . Troy . . . UPI & AP All-Ohio first team . . . Southwest District Lineman Of The Year . . . All-area and all-district first team . . . School record of 26 tackles . . . Captain . . . Played on teams that were 29-1 for three years . . . Caught 24 passes for 600 yards and 5 touchdowns . . . 200 tackles . . . MVP in baseball (.417) as junior . . . Born 1-10-55.

### OFFICIAL TROUBLE





## PRESIDENT HOLLIS A. MOORE



Hollis A. Moore became the seventh president of Bowling Green State University in July, 1970, and almost immediately ordered a brown blazer and burnt-orange slacks.

That school-colored suit, which now includes a Falcon crest, is rapidly becoming a tradition at Bowling Green athletic contests as the University's chief administrator enjoys his position as being both a friend and supporter of BG's successful intercollegiate athletic program.

Dr. Moore has always liked individual sports such as swimming, tennis, golf and water skiing. But his avid interest in athletics didn't develop until his two sons came along.

"We began looking for something we could do together as a family, like ice skating. Sports help keep a family together and college sports have a carryover value into a lifelong interest," he said.

Prior to coming to Bowling Green, the Missouri native was vice president of academic affairs at George Peabody College, Nashville, Tenn.

A varied background as a teacher, administrator, lecturer, writer, consultant and scholar has equipped Dr. Moore with a very real knowledge of the mounting challenges and issues facing higher education in the 1970's.

During his first three years at Bowling Green, Dr. Moore has worked to bring about major changes: special programs for freshmen, a time-shortened baccalaureate degree financed by the Carnegie Foundation, major renovations of residence halls, and a new professional college of health and community services.

Dr. Moore has also been an advocate of quality education at lowest feasible cost to the students. While college costs have been on the increase at other universities, residence hall rates and instructional fees remain among the lowest in the state.

He is a 1946 graduate of Baylor University where he studied history and political science. He earned his doctoral degree from the University of Texas in 1953.

His educational career began in 1949 in Austin (Tex.) Public School system where he taught social studies and was dean of boys. Three years later he moved into the publishing business as associate editor of "The Nation's Schools," a position he held until 1955 when he was appointed executive secretary for the Committee for the Advancement of School Administration in Washington, D.C., a W. K. Kellogg Foundation project.

From 1960-64 he was dean of the College of Education at the University of Arizona, during which time he supervised the revision of the college's curriculum.

Dr. Moore was named director of the division of education at the W. K. Kellogg Foundation, Battle Creek, Mich., in 1964. There he initiated the planning and grant for the New England Center for Continuing Education, a cooperative venture of six state universities in New England for the development of common programs in the area of adult continuing education.

Among the president's publications is a book he co-authored entitled **The Administrative Team and Long-Range Planning**, published at the University of Georgia in 1967.

He and his wife, Marian, have a number of civic interests including music and art. The Moores have two sons, Andrew, an ensign in the United States Navy, and Michael, a senior at Northwestern University. Dr. Moore was born in Pierce City, Missouri, April 3, 1923.



JIM HOF

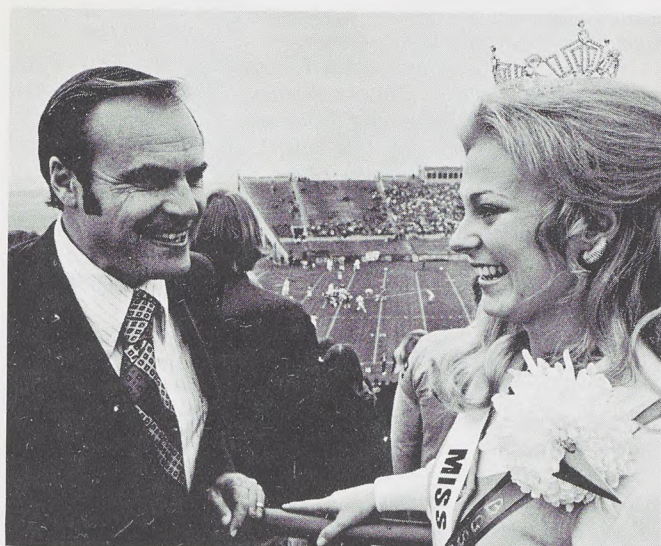
### JIM HOF, Vice President For Public Services

Jim Hof, 48, for many years the "voice of the Falcons" as public address announcer at BG home football and basketball games, is Bowling Green's vice president for public services with responsibilities for BG's intercollegiate athletic program and the offices of development, alumni relations, publications and news and photography services. . . . Hof was formerly the University's alumni director for 11 years. . . . He also has served as director of university relations and executive

director of the BGSU Foundation. . . . In 1950 he graduated from BG and went on to receive his master's degree in speech in 1951. . . . From 1952 through 1957 he was employed as a district sales manager with the Sunbeam Corporation. . . . He came back to BG in 1957 as director of admissions. . . . He and his wife, Joyce, are the parents of three sons and two daughters. . . . He was born in Boscobel, Wisc., June 28, 1925.



## ATHLETIC DIRECTOR DICK YOUNG



There certainly wasn't a sophomore jinx attached to Dick Young's second year as Bowling Green's energetic athletic director.

The Falcon athletic program continued to produce an excellent record of achievement in the eyes of the public and the Mid-American Conference as Young finished his second 12 months on the job since being appointed to the position in April, 1971.

National attention was drawn to Bowling Green from the starting gun last fall thanks to Dave Wottle's gold medal run in the Olympics and the football team's upset of Purdue. Bowling Green athletes also participated in six NCAA national championship events. In the Mid-American Conference, the Falcons finished second in the league all-sports race after winning the Reese Trophy in 1972. The 12 intercollegiate teams compiled a .568 winning percentage for the best effort in six years.

Other highlights of Young's first two years of administration included the regular scheduling of nationally-prominent opponents in football, basketball and hockey; the successful staging of the Mid-American Conference Spring Championships; the increase in funds generated by The Falcon Club from \$14,000 to over \$52,000; the continued recognition of being a gracious host to tournament action in basketball, baseball, track and tennis for the Ohio High School Athletic Association in addition to a variety of other events such as the state track meet for the Ohio Athletic Association for the

Mentally Retarded and the successful management of fields and facilities to provide athletic participation for as many publics as possible.

The background of Bowling Green's athletic director is as follows:

**EDUCATION:** Young was graduated from Upper Arlington High School in 1950 . . . He attended Denison University in 1951 before transferring to Ohio State. He was graduated cum laude with a B.S. degree in health and physical education from Ohio State in 1955. He continued his graduate work at OSU in 1955 until he entered the United States Navy as a lieutenant. He returned to Ohio State in 1958 and received his master's degree in education in 1959. He has also completed all academic course requirements for his doctorate degree in athletic administration at Bowling Green.

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:** Young joined the Bowling Green coaching staff in 1959 as an assistant football and head baseball coach. His duties included coaching the freshman football team to a 31-7 record in eight seasons. He has also served as baseball coach since that time and from a standpoint of victories, he retired as Bowling Green's winningest active coach in his 12th year with an excellent 184-146-6 record. Only three of his teams suffered losing seasons. He also served in 1970 and 1971 as an administrative assistant to the athletic director. For the 1971 spring term, he was appointed acting chairman of the Health and Physical Education Department while Dr. Sam Cooper was on a leave of absence. Young has also authored several instructional articles on baseball and in 1970 was one of the featured speakers at the American Association of College Baseball Coaches meeting. As BGSU baseball coach, Young's experiment of having a fall instructional league for his players has been well received. Another successful venture was the annual winter baseball coaching clinic.

**ATHLETIC BACKGROUND:** At Upper Arlington High School, Young lettered in football, basketball and baseball under Doyt Perry, former Falcon athletic director. He lettered in the same three sports at Denison University as a freshman. At Ohio State, Young lettered two years as a defensive halfback in football and participated in the 1955 Rose Bowl with the national champion Buckeyes. He was named to the All-American academic team in 1953 and was Ohio State's recipient of the Big Ten Conference Medal of Honor for scholar-athletes in 1955.

**PERSONAL:** He and his wife, Sandy, are the parents of a son, Tim, 16, and two daughters, Pam, 14, and Alyson, 13, . . . "Tim-Pam-Aly" as Young puts it . . . Born in Columbus, Ohio, 1-3-32.



CARL HALLBERG

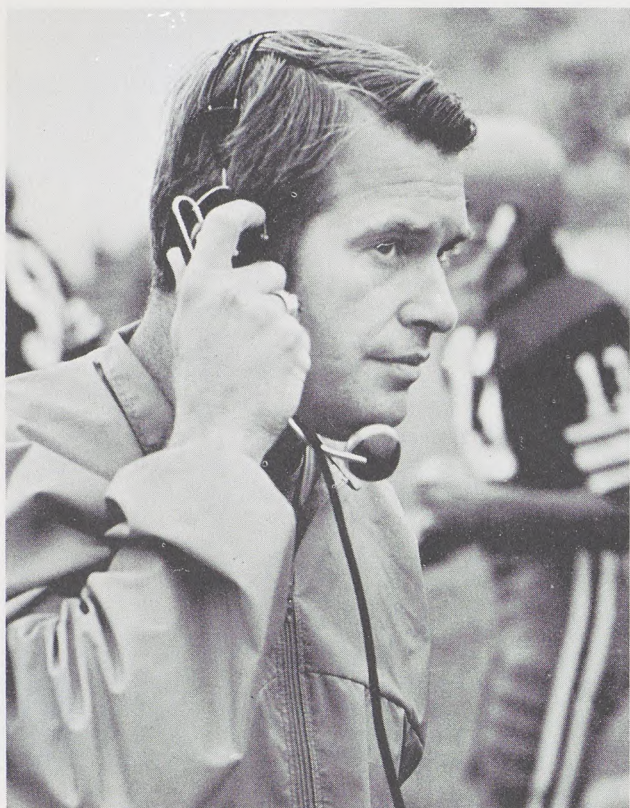
### CARL HALLBERG, MAC Faculty Representative

Dr. Carl Hallberg, 55, professor of biology and an avid golfer, will represent Bowling Green as faculty representative to the Mid-American Conference for the second time in the 1972-73 academic year . . . Dr. Hallberg was chairman of the athletic committee for 1970-71 . . . He received a bachelor of science degree from the University of Michigan in 1947 and continued on to earn his master's

and doctoral degrees in 1948 and 1951 . . . He started his teaching career at Bowling Green in 1951 as assistant professor of biology . . . Fellow in the American Association for the Advancement of Science was awarded to him in 1964 . . . He and his wife, Jane, are the parents of two daughters and one son . . . Born in Detroit, Mich., July 13, 1918.



## HEAD COACH DON NEHLEN



To be honest, Don Nehlen is sick and tired of finishing second.

Three times in the last four years, Nehlen's Bowling Green teams have come within one game of winning the Mid-American Conference football championship. In the last two years, Nehlen has guided the Falcons to a 7-2-1 league record that has produced two seconds and no cigar. He also has a pair of MAC Coach-Of-The-Year runner-up placings to show for his efforts. His .625 winning percentage (15-9-2) in five years of MAC warfare shapes up as second among active league coaches.

Maybe it's true that nice guys finish second, but the 37-year-old coach would like to wind up first some of the time. He got a taste of the top last fall when the Falcons upset Purdue, 17-14, and he was honored as Coach-Of-The-Week by United Press International. Nehlen also was selected as an assistant coach in the first annual All-Ohio Shrine Bowl.

Since his days as a college quarterback at Bowling Green in 1955, Nehlen has had only one losing year when the 1970 BG team experienced a 2-6-1 record. His "football participation" record in the last 17 years comes out to 106 wins and only 45 losses.

As he enters his sixth season at Bowling Green, Nehlen stands as the 11th head coach in Bowling Green's 54-year football history. He is only the second, Doyt L. Perry being the first, Bowling Green player to return to his alma mater as head coach.

Nehlen's 14 years of coaching have been filled with success, including his 26-20-3 record at Bowling Green.

In 1958, he started his career as reserve football coach at Mansfield Senior High School. The next year found him appointed to the head coaching position at Canton

South High School where his teams won 24, lost 11, and tied 2 in four seasons.

In 1963, he became backfield coach at the University of Cincinnati under Chuck Studley. The Bearcats were 6-4 and co-champs of the Missouri Valley Conference. Two of Nehlen's backs, QB Brig Owens (Redskins) and HB Al Nelson (Eagles) went on to play in the NFL.

The next season took Nehlen back to Canton as head coach at McKinley High School. The Bulldogs promptly went 9-1 to finish second in the state to Massillon. Nehlen's five-year high school head coaching record stands at 33-12-2.

Nehlen returned to his alma mater in 1965 and became BG's defensive coordinator for three seasons under Coach Bob Gibson. His units yielded only 361 points in 28 games for an average of slightly under 13 points a game. His teams recorded six shutouts. The Falcons went 19-9-0 those three seasons and the 1965 team tied for the MAC championship.

A 1954 graduate of Canton Lincoln High School, Nehlen lettered for two years as a quarterback and landed all-city and all-county honors. He also earned a total of seven letters in basketball and baseball and was voted the outstanding athlete in Lincoln's graduating class.

As a quarterback for Bowling Green during the 1955, 1956 and 1957 seasons, Nehlen engineered the Falcons to a 21-2-4 record. The 1956 team won the MAC championship and the other two squads finished second. Nehlen won all-MAC second team honors in 1956 and 1957. He also played baseball for two seasons and was elected captain as a junior.

Nehlen was graduated from Bowling Green in 1958 with a bachelor of science degree in education. He earned his master's degree at Kent State in 1965.

He is married to the former Merry Ann Chopson. The Nehlens have a son, Danny, 13, and a daughter, Vicky, 11 . . . Born in Canton, Ohio, 1-1-36.

### A LOOK AT DON'S RECORD

#### AS A COLLEGE PLAYER

Year	School	Position	Coach	W	L	T
1955	Bowling Green	QB	Doyt Perry	7	1	1
1956	Bowling Green	QB	Doyt Perry	*8	0	1
1957	Bowling Green	QB	Doyt Perry	6	1	2

\*MAC Champs

#### AS A HIGH SCHOOL HEAD COACH

1959	Canton South			4	4	1
1960	Canton South			5	4	0
1961	Canton South			6	2	1
1962	Canton South			9	1	0
1964	Canton McKinley			*9	1	0

\*2nd in Ohio

#### AS A COLLEGE ASSISTANT COACH

1963	Cincinnati	Off. Backs	Chuck Studley	*6	4	0
1965	Bowling Green	Def. Coor.	Bob Gibson	*7	2	0
1966	Bowling Green	Def. Coor.	Bob Gibson	6	3	0
1967	Bowling Green	Def. Coor.	Bob Gibson	7	2	0

\*League Champs

#### AS A COLLEGE HEAD COACH

AS A	COLLEGE	HEAD COACH	MAC	OVERALL
1968	Bowling Green		3-2-1 Third	6 3 1
1969	Bowling Green		4-1 Second	6 4 0
1970	Bowling Green		1-4 Fifth	2 6 1
1971	Bowling Green		4-1 Second	6 4 0
1972	Bowling Green		3-1-1 Second	6 3 1

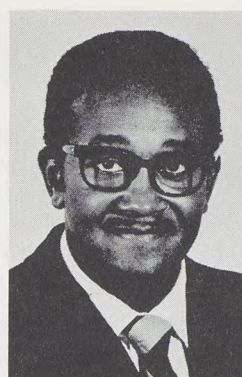




**RON CHISMAR**



**MARIO RUSSO**



**CARLOS JACKSON**

Golf Course Supervisor  
Advisor (1971-Present)  
(1955-1970) . . . Ohio  
s, Ohio, 6-29-23.

Arena Director (1972-  
Coach (1956-71) . . .  
berland, Md., 6-30-30.

## **RON CHISMAR**

### **Backfield Coach & Offensive Coordinator**

Ron Chismar is starting his fourth year on Coach Don Nehlen's staff and his third season as backfield coach and offensive coordinator. The Falcons landed one of the nation's finest high school coaches in 1970 when he joined the staff as freshman coach . . . He promptly guided the frosh to a perfect 4-0 season . . . At Canton McKinley High School (Nehlen was head coach there in 1964), Chismar guided the Bulldogs to a 37-13 record in five years along with a pair of All-American Conference titles in 1968 and 1969 on the merits of 9-1 season records . . . In 1969 he also guided the North team to an All-Star victory . . . His BG appointment marks his third coaching stint under Nehlen . . . He was Nehlen's assistant at Canton South in 1961-62 and at McKinley in 1964 . . . Chismar, 38, graduated from Canton Lincoln H.S. in 1952 . . . He earned his bachelor's degree at Kent State in 1961 and his master's degree from Akron in 1969 . . . At Lincoln, Ron played football and baseball . . . He also played baseball while in the service . . . He and his wife, Joanne, are the parents of one daughter and two sons . . . Born in Canton, Ohio, 10-23-34.

## **MARIO RUSSO**

### **Defensive Ends & Tackles Coach & Defensive Coordinator**

Marrio Russo, 40, starts his second year on the coaching staff with additional responsibilities as defensive coordinator besides coaching the defensive ends and tackles . . . He joined the staff in July, 1972 . . . Has been an assistant football coach in the college ranks since 1960 when he was line coach at Heidleberg . . . Interior line coach at Dayton from 1961 to 1963 . . . Moved on to Toledo in 1963 to join Frank Lauterbur's staff . . . Main duty was linebacker and end coach for five years . . . Joined Denison University football staff under Keith Piper where he was defensive coordinator from 1968 through 1971 . . . His defensive units ranked second in total defense in the Ohio Conference in 1970 and 1971 . . . Started coaching career as assistant football coach at Barberton High School in 1957 . . . 1957 graduate of the University of Akron . . . Won eight letters as a football guard and a wrestler for Akron . . . Captain of both sports . . . Four-time Ohio Conference wrestling champion in 157-167 divisions from 1953 to 1956 . . . Named Akron's "Athlete of the Year" in 1956 . . . Received master's degree from Kent State in 1960 . . . He and his wife Marion are the parents of four sons and a daughter . . . Born in Italy on 4-14-33.

## **CARLOS JACKSON**

### **Pass Offense Coordinator**

Carlos Jackson, 43, a 1958 Bowling Green graduate, will start his sixth year as an assistant football coach with duties of being pass offense coordinator . . . Had a fine year with the 1955 Bowling Green team as he led the Falcons in rushing with 505 yards in 86 carries for a 5.9 average . . . Missed the 1956 campaign because of polio then came back in 1957 to see limited action . . . Also competed in track . . . Before returning to Bowling Green, he was an assistant coach at Fostoria High School . . . Following a fine career at Fostoria High School, Jackson attended Ohio State . . . The Korean War interrupted his Ohio State work and he served in the Army Medical Corps . . . Played on a service football team and competed in the All-Army track meet . . . After being discharged, Jackson enrolled at BGSU . . . Earned his master's degree from Bowling Green in 1963 . . . Member of City Human Relations Board since 1969 . . . Tapped for membership in ODK, Men's Leadership Honorary in 1972 . . . He and his wife, Faith, are the parents of one son and three daughters . . . Born in Fostoria, Ohio, 6-24-30.

## **DALE STRAHM**

### **Linebacker & Middle Guard Coach**

Dale Strahm, 30, enters his third year on the staff with the important responsibility of coaching the linebackers and middle guards . . . He came to Bowling Green as freshman coach in May, 1971 . . . Moved up to varsity staff in 1972 . . . He came to BG after four years as an assistant coach in the high school ranks . . . From 1966 through 1968 he was offensive coordinator at Warren Western Reserve where the Reserve team won 23 of 30 games . . . WWR ranked fourth in Ohio during his final year in 1969 . . . In 1970 Strahm was defensive coordinator at Bellevue High School and his unit held seven of 10 opponents scoreless . . . He also coached the Ohio Northern University freshman team in 1966 and was a graduate assistant football coach at Bowling Green in 1969 . . . Named head football coach at Hamilton Taft before resigning to accept position at Bowling Green in 1971 . . . At Toledo Libbey High School, he was an all-city quarterback as a senior in 1960 . . . He continued his football playing at Ohio Northern while also lettering in track . . . Strahm received his bachelor of science degree in education from Ohio Northern in 1965 and his master's degree from Bowling Green in 1970 . . . He was married in June to the former Diane Gliatta . . . Born in Toledo, Ohio, 3-25-43.





LARRY COYER

## CARL BATTERSHELL

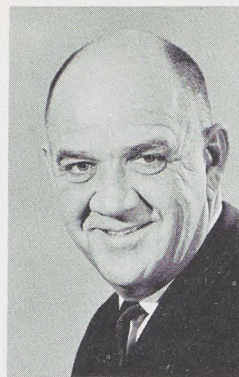
### Offensive Line Coach

Carl Battershell, 24, joined the BG staff in March as offensive line coach . . . He replaces Rey Dempsey who resigned to become head football coach at Youngstown State University . . . He won three letters as an offensive lineman for Bowling Green from 1967 through 1969 . . . As a senior, he was named to the Mid-American Conference second team . . . Was assistant freshman coach as a graduate assistant at Bowling Green in 1970 . . . Was assistant football coach at Norton High School in 1971 and Warren Kennedy High School in 1972 before coming to BG . . . Received his bachelor's degree in education at Bowling Green in 1970 and his master's degree from the University in 1971 . . . Married to the former Susan P. Kelly of Freehold, N.J. . . . Born in Alliance, Ohio, 11-5-48.

## GLENN SHARP

### Equipment Manager

Although professional football teams seek his advice and services, Glenn Sharp, 52, will enter his 18th year as the Falcons' expert equipment manager . . . "Sharpie's Place" is where former Falcon athletes often make their first visit to campus . . . His equipment room organization has been copied by many of the nation's major colleges . . . He also has responsibilities in purchasing equipment and is responsible for the student manager program . . . He and his wife, Helen, are the parents of two sons and one daughter . . . Born in Bloomdale, Ohio, 2-11-21.

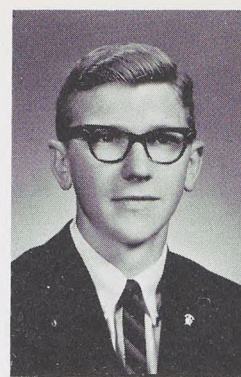


GLENN SHARP

## LARRY COYER

### Defensive Secondary Coach

Larry Coyer, 30, is the newest coach on the Falcon staff after joining the staff in July, 1973 . . . He replaces Gary Tranquill who resigned in May to become an assistant football coach at the Naval Academy . . . Started coaching career as defensive backfield coach at Marshall University in 1965 . . . In 1966 his secondary ranked among the top 20 teams in the nation in pass defense . . . He also served as head wrestling coach for one year . . . In 1968, Coyer became head football and wrestling coach at Martins Ferry High School in Ohio . . . He took over a team that had not won a game in almost three years and directed it to seven wins in 20 games . . . In 1970 he was appointed defensive coordinator at Massillon High School . . . In three seasons, the Massillon defense set a modern school record by allowing only 91 points and shutting out 16 opponents in 30 games . . . He also handled the wrestling team at Massillon . . . Won three letters in both football and wrestling at Marshall before receiving his bachelor's degree in 1965 . . . In 1964, he made the All-MAC first team at defensive halfback and ranked among the national leaders in punt returns . . . In MAC wrestling he placed third at heavyweight in 1964 and second at 177 pounds in 1965 . . . Named to the all-league academic team in football and received mention on the 1964 All-America Academic Team . . . Attended Barboursville High School (W. Va.) . . . Single . . . Born 4-19-43 in Huntington, W. Va.



GARY ROSE

## GARY ROSE

### Athletic Trainer

Gary Rose, 25, will assume the duties as Bowling Green's athletic trainer with supervision over the 12-sport intercollegiate program for the 1973-74 year . . . Came to BG in 1971 as a graduate assistant trainer and remained on the training staff this past year . . . Head trainer at Ohio Northern University in 1970 . . . While attending ONU, Rose worked as a student trainer for four years and was a member of Omicron Delta Kappa, men's leadership honorary . . . Graduated from Ohio Northern in 1970 and received his master's degree from Bowling Green in 1973 . . . Single . . . Born in Cleveland, Ohio, 12-8-47.



## FALCON ADMINISTRATION

### DON CUNNINGHAM

Assistant Athletic Director (1952-59, 1968-Present) . . .  
Business Manager of Athletics (1959-Present) . . .  
Sports Information Director (1946-1965) . . . Golf  
Coach (1949-56) . . . Bowling Green '43 . . . Born in  
Lima, Ohio, 10-16-21.

### TOM KISSELLE

Assistant To The Athletic Director (1972-Present) . . .  
Coordinator Of Fields & Facilities (1972-Present) . . .  
Assistant Football Coach (1965-1971) . . . Bowling  
Green '56 . . . Born in Bay Village, Ohio, 5-10-34.

### JIM KRONE

Director Of Tickets & Promotion (1971-Present) . . .  
Administrative Assistant (1969-70) . . . Bowling Green  
'67 . . . Born in Westlake, Ohio, 1-23-44.

### BOB MOYERS

Sports Information Director (1970-Present) . . . Ohio  
Wesleyan '63 . . . Born in Steubenville, Ohio, 1-14-41.

### KEN SCHOENI

Administrative Assistant In Fields & Facilities (1965-  
Present) . . . Born in Alliance, Ohio, 1-1-31.

### BOB DUDLEY

Administrative Assistant & Golf Course Supervisor  
(1971-Present) . . . Academic Advisor (1971-Present)  
. . . Assistant Football Coach (1955-1970) . . . Ohio  
State '48 . . . Born in Columbus, Ohio, 6-29-23.

### JIM RUEHL

Administrative Assistant & Ice Arena Director (1972-  
Present) . . . Assistant Football Coach (1956-71) . . .  
Ohio State '55 . . . Born in Cumberland, Md., 6-30-30.

### BOB SIMMONS

Academic Advisor (1972-Present) . . . Bowling Green  
'71 . . . Born in Cleveland, Ohio, 6-13-48.

### DON WOODS

Ice Arena Equipment Manager (1972-Present) . . . As-  
sistant Equipment Manager (1968-1971) . . . Bowling  
Green '68 . . . Born in Negley, Ohio, 11-5-42.

### TOM WALLACE

Ice Arena Maintenance & Facility Supervisor (1966-  
Present) . . . Born in Alliance, Ohio, 9-7-39.

## BEHIND THE SCENES

### Football Graduate Assistants

Dan Gleason, Wyoming (JV Coach)  
Art Curtis, Bowling Green  
Val Harris, Ashland  
William Harris, Wooster  
Mike Larson, Bowling Green  
Thomas Payne, Ashland

### Football Medical Staff

Team Physician — Dr. Henry Vogtsberger  
Team Orthopedists — Dr. T.H. Brown, Jr.  
Dr. Gerald Sutherland  
Team Dentist — Dr. Don Hilty  
Consulting — Dr. Paul Overhulse  
Robert Livengood

### Trainers

Full-Time — Gary Rose, Harry Tyson  
Graduate Assistants — Dale Arnold, Paul Bishop  
Students — Garry Miller, Glen Foster, Lee Kermode,  
Bill Stanton, Ric Courson

### Football Managers

Ken Hart, Chuck Petterson, Richard Cain, Greg Russner

### Football Films

Bill Baxter, Ernie Hamilton, Jack Ward

### Press Box

Statisticians — Bob Patton, Jim Schneider, Bob Singer,  
Craig Ullery  
Public Address — Jim Krone  
Clock Operator — Willard Wankelman  
Scoreboard — Otto Ocvirk  
Spotters — John Martin, Jim Quick  
Press Conference — Bob Dudley

### Sports Information

Student Assistants — Jim Schneider, Ken White, Craig  
Ullery, Brad Schmaltz

### Maintenance

Foremen — Curly Foster, Butch Patton, Dick Layman  
Mechanic — Dan Malone  
Grounds — Mike Malone, Ed Masel, Mike LaTour

### Secretaries

Athletic Director — Ann Baer  
Football — Marty Frobose  
Tickets — Becky Meek  
Falcon Club — Jan Kiehl  
Sports Information — Karen Lamport  
Business Manager — Kris Gleason  
Coaches — Bernece Burris  
Switchboard — Mary Polen



## BY NUMBER

NO.	NAME	POS.
5	Dennis Trace	DHB/TB
6	Don Taylor	K
7	Rick Newman	WB
8	John Boles	QB
9	*Dave Preston	TB
10	Tom Moriarty	TB
11	Reid Lampert	QB
12	Sherrill Jackson	SE
13	Ed McCoy	P/S
14	Alex Femenia	DHB
15	Joe Babics	QB
16	*Mike Booth	QB
17	Mike Watson	TB
18	Chuck Lindsey	M
19	Mitch Sherrell	S
20	Greg Brewton	WB
21	Jesse Greathouse	M
22	Myron Wilson	DHB
23	Rick Hans	DHB
24	*Tony Venditti	FB
25	*Bill Eysen	QB/S
26	Art Thompson	DHB
27	*Dan Saleet	QB
28	*Steve Kuehl	TB
29	Paul Miles	TB
30	Jim Snowden	SE
31	Hal Thomas	WB
32	*Greg Davidson	DB
33	*Dave Dudley	SE/DB
34	*Vance Harrell	WB/DB
35	*Jeff Robertson	WB/SE
36	*Bill Whidden	LB/DE
37	*Dave Brown	MG
38	*Mike Black	FB
39	Todd Tramba	FB
40	Bill Centa	MG
41	John Villapiano	LB
42	Tony Bell	S
43	Phil Polak	FB
44	Gary Mixon	LB
45	Jamie Henneberry	MG

## 1973 BOWLING GREEN FOOTBALL ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YR.	AGE	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL)
60	Gary Anderson	SG	6-0	226	So.	18	Bluffton (Cory Rawson)
15	Joe Babics**	QB	5-11	164	Sr.	21	Canton (McKinley)
49	Vic Bakunoff	FB	6-0	211	Jr.	19	Pleasantville, N.J.
	Bob Banjac	DHB	5-9	167	Jr.	19	Seven Hills (Normandy)
	Roger Barnett	TB	5-10	170	So.	20	Cleveland Hts. (Collingwood)
68	Doug Becherucci	DT/E	6-5	235	Fr.	18	Canton (Lincoln)
42	Tony Bell**	S	6-2	204	Sr.	21	Youngstown (South)
	Bruce Biggums	MG	5-9	181	Jr.	21	Waynesburg (Sandy Valley)
38	Mike Black	FB	6-0	220	Fr.	18	Newark
8	John Boles	QB	6-0	174	So.	19	Toledo (Bowsher)
16	Mike Booth	QB	5-11	175	Fr.	18	Dearborn, Mich. (Edsel Ford)
20	Greg Brewton	WB	5-8	179	Sr.	22	Toledo (Woodward)
37	Dave Brown	MG	5-11	205	Fr.	19	Centerville
	Al Caprara	QG	6-0	195	So.	19	Norwalk
	Norm Cartwright	S	5-10	178	So.	19	Toledo (Rogers)
40	Bill Centa**	MG	6-0	209	Sr.	21	Cleveland (St. Joseph's)
46	Kevin Clayton	LB	6-1	211	So.	19	Avon Lake
66	Mark Conklin	QT	6-3	211	So.	19	Westerville
71	Corey Cunningham	DT	6-0	212	So.	20	Lorain (Senior)
32	Greg Davidson	DB	6-4	200	Fr.	19	Berea (Berea Senior)
48	Don Dillingham*	FB	5-11	202	Sr.	21	Dayton (Fairview)
33	Dave Dudley	SE/DB	5-8	170	Fr.	18	Bowling Green
	Dave Dunham	DE	6-5	230	Jr.	20	Lansing, Mich. (Waverly)
25	Bill Eysen	QB/S	6-4	185	Fr.	18	Brunswick
14	Alex Femenia	DHB	5-10	165	So.	20	Danbury, Conn.
89	Tom Fisher**	DE	6-0	210	Sr.	21	Salem
	Larry Flood	FB	6-1	195	So.	18	Zanesville
69	Dave Florea	DT	6-1	209	Jr.	20	Canton (Lincoln)
	Dave Frecka	WB	6-0	177	So.	20	Livonia, Mich. (Franklin)
	Todd Freeman	C	6-1	200	So.	19	Findlay
	Mike Gomez	M	5-10	177	So.	20	Napoleon
21	Jesse Greathouse*	M	6-0	180	Sr.	21	Cleveland (Glenville)
	Jim Hall	FB/LB	6-0	196	Fr.	18	Carey
57	Tom Hall **	DT	6-1	226	Sr.	21	Carey (Bowling Green)
23	Rick Hans*	DHB	5-10	177	Sr.	21	Lorain (Senior)
79	Greg Harmon	ST	6-2	260	Jr.	20	Napoleon
58	Mike Harraman	DE	6-3	221	Jr.	20	New Bloomington (Elgin)
34	Vance Harrell	WB/DB	5-11	175	Fr.	18	Delaware (Hayes)
45	Jamie Henneberry	MG	5-11	206	Sr.	21	Sea Bright, N.J. (Ocean Twp.)



43 Jamie Henneberry ..... MG

46	Kevin Clayton	LB
47	Jim Macry	LB
48	Don Dillingham	FB
49	Vic Bakunoff	FB
50	Dave McMichael	C
51	Joe Russell	LB
52	Jim Reynolds	LB
53	Tom Spann	LB
54	Garry Penta	QG
55	Steve Studer	C
56	Tom Krahe	DT
57	Tom Hall	DT
58	Mike Harraman	DE
59	Brett Molk	C
60	Gary Anderson	SG
61	Dave Kulik	QG
62	Bob Martin	QG
63	*George Obrovac	T
65	Mark Horansky	SG
66	Mark Conklin	QT
67	Tom Steele	LB/DT
68	*Doug Becherucci	DT/E
69	Dave Florea	DT
70	Gene Jones	ST
71	Corey Cunningham	DT
72	Mike Schmidt	ST
73	Nick Obrovac	ST
74	John Jacquot	QT
75	Ron Nickey	DT
76	Tim McCarthy	QT
77	Gary McBride	DT
78	Tim Quinn	SG
79	Greg Harmon	ST
80	*Jim Otley	DE/DT
81	Thom Wilker	DE
82	Kevin Taylor	DE/DT
83	Dave Turner	DE
84	Roger Wallace	SE
85	Greg Meczka	TE
86	Jim Mahony	TE
87	Rob Stephan	TE
88	*John Obrock	TE
89	Tom Fisher	DE

\* Denotes Freshman

45	Jamie Henneberry	MG	5-11	206	Sr.	21	Sea Bright, N.J. (Ocean Twp.)
	Ron Hoover	MG	5-10	193	So.	21	Ridgeway (Ridgemont)
65	Mark Horansky	SG	6-0	226	So.	19	Cleveland Hts. (Cathedral Latin)
12	Sherrill Jackson	SE	5-10	175	So.	20	Wellsville
74	John Jacquot**	QT	6-1	221	Sr.	22	Toledo (Whitmer)
	Jerry Johnson	TB	5-11	163	So.	19	Steubenville
70	Gene Jones	ST	6-4	249	So.	19	East Canton (St. Thomas)
	Larry Kalb	K	6-1	180	So.	18	Chatfield (Central)
	Ed Kelly	DE	6-2	205	Fr.	18	Lima (Shawnee)
56	Tom Krahe	DT	6-1	211	So.	19	Bainbridge (Chanel)
28	Steve Kuehl	TB	5-10	175	Fr.	18	Lima (Central Catholic)
61	Dave Kulik	QG	6-0	211	Jr.	20	Massillon (Washington)
11	Reid Lamport**	QB	5-11	180	Sr.	21	Newton Falls
18	Chuck Lindsey	M	5-8	171	So.	20	Fremont (Ross)
	Bud Lobaugh	WB	6-0	185	Jr.	24	McDonald
	Pat Lyden	DE	5-11	183	So.	19	Boardman (Ramsey, N.J.)
47	Jim Macry	LB	5-11	187	Jr.	21	New Brighton, Pa.
86	Jim Mahony	TE	6-3	212	Jr.	21	Gates Mills (Cathedral Latin)
62	Bob Martin**	QG	5-11	216	Sr.	21	Canton (McKinley)
77	Gary McBride**	DT	6-1	225	Sr.	21	Niles (McKinley)
76	Tim McCarthy	QT	6-3	237	So.	19	Toledo (Central)
	Kim McCollough	S	5-11	185	So.	19	Cleve. Hts. (Cathedral Latin)
13	Ed McCoy*	P/S	6-1	175	Sr.	21	Oberlin (Firelands)
50	Dave McMichael**	C	6-0	209	Sr.	21	Kettering (Fairmont East)
85	Greg Meczka**(c)	TE	6-3	219	Sr.	21	Seven Hills (Normandy)
29	Paul Miles**	TB	6-0	190	Sr.	21	Paulding
44	Gary Mixon	LB	5-9	190	Jr.	21	Columbus (Eastmoor)
59	Brett Molk	C	6-0	213	Sr.	21	Kenton
10	Tom Moriarty	TB	5-11	174	So.	20	University Hts. (Benedictine)
	Greg Muzi	QB	5-9	182	Jr.	20	Massillon (Canton Central)
7	Rick Newman**	WB	6-0	201	Sr.	21	Fairview Park
75	Ron Nickey	DT	6-2	208	So.	19	Bowling Green
88	John Obrock	E	6-4	210	Fr.	18	Perrysburg (Lake)
63	George Obrovac	T	6-4	240	Fr.	19	Canton (McKinley)
73	Nick Obrovac	ST	6-3	226	Jr.	20	Canton (McKinley)
80	Jim Otley	DE/DT	6-1	210	Fr.	20	Bowling Green
54	Garry Penta	QG	5-9	211	Jr.	20	Long Branch, N.J.
43	Phil Polak**	FB	6-0	208	Sr.	21	Parma (Senior)
9	Dave Preston	TB	5-11	192	Fr.	18	Defiance
	Tom Preston	FB	5-10	197	So.	19	Danbury, Conn.
78	Tim Quinn*	SG	6-3	235	Sr.	21	Eastlake (North)
52	Jim Reynolds	LB	5-10	211	Jr.	21	Ashland
35	Jeff Robertson	WB/SE	5-9	175	Fr.	18	Centerburg
	Pat Rothgery	DHB	5-10	189	So.	19	Napoleon



## PRONOUNCIATION GUIDE

Joe Babics	<b>BAA-biks</b>
Vic Bakunoff	<b>BACK-uh-noff</b>
Doug Becherucci	<b>Beck-uh-ROO-chee</b>
Bill Centa	<b>SEN-ta</b>
Bill Eyssen	<b>I-sun</b>
Alex Femenia	<b>Fuh-MEE-nee-uh</b>
Dave Florea	<b>FLOOR-ee-uh</b>
John Jacquot	<b>JAY-koe</b>
Tom Krahe	<b>KRAY</b>
Steve Kuehl	<b>KEEL</b>
Dave Kulik	<b>KYOO-lik</b>
Jim Marcy	<b>MACK-ree</b>
Jim Mahony	<b>MAN-nee</b>
Greg Meczka	<b>METS-kuh</b>
Nick Obrovac	<b>Oh-BRAH-vik</b>
Phil Polak	<b>PAW-lik</b>
Dan Saleet	<b>Suh-LEET</b>
Mitch Sherrell	<b>SHARE-uhl</b>
John Villapiano	<b>Vil-a-pee-AH-no</b>

### COACHES

Don Nehlen	<b>NEE-lin</b>
Mario Russo	<b>ROO-soe</b>
Ron Chismar	<b>CHIS-mar</b>
Dale Strahm	<b>STRAHM</b>

## 1973 BOWLING GREEN FOOTBALL ROSTER (Con't.)

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	YR.	AGE	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL)
51	Joe Russell*	LB	6-1	227	Jr.	20	Parma (Normandy)
27	Dan Saleet	QB	6-1	190	Fr.	18	Lakewood
72	Mike Schmidt	ST	6-5	233	Jr.	20	Graytown (Cardinal Stritch)
19	Mitch Sherrell	S	6-1	178	So.	19	Dennison (Claymont)
30	Jim Snowden	SE	5-11	159	Jr.	20	Granada Hills, Calif.
53	Tom Spann	LB	5-1	200	So.	19	Independence
	Jack Stark	DHB	5-11	180	So.	18	Norwalk
67	Tom Steele	LB/DT	6-3	238	Fr.	18	Lancaster
87	Rob Stephan	TE	6-3	207	So.	19	Massillon (Washington)
	Terry Stewart	SE	5-10	172	So.	19	Wellston
55	Steve Studer*	C	6-0	223	So.	20	Massillon (Washington)
	Bernie Sullivan	DHB	5-10	182	Jr.	20	Massillon (Washington)
	Scott Sullivan	LB	6-0	200	So.	20	Columbus (Watterson)
6	Don Taylor*	K	5-9	181	So.	19	North Canton (Oakwood)
82	Kevin Taylor**	DE/DT	6-3	226	Sr.	20	Lambertville, Mich. (Bedford)
31	Hal Thomas	WB	6-0	169	Jr.	19	Columbus (East)
26	Art Thompson	DHB	5-9	172	So.	19	Massillon (Washington)
5	Dennis Trace	DHB/TB	5-11	177	Jr.	20	Amherst (Marion Steele)
39	Todd Tramba	FB	5-11	208	So.	19	Richfield (Revere)
83	Dave Turner*	DE	6-3	203	Jr.	21	Canton (McKinley)
24	Tony Venditti	FB	5-9	200	Fr.	18	Canton (Lincoln)
41	John Villapiano**(c)	LB	5-11	185	Sr.	21	Oakhurst, N.J. (Ocean Twp.)
	Dennis Wakefield	E	6-4	200	Fr.	20	Avon Lake
84	Roger Wallace**	SE	5-10	178	Sr.	21	Urbana
17	Mike Watson	TB	5-10	190	So.	19	Akron (South)
	Hal Watz	QB	6-0	188	Sr.	21	Dayton (Wayne)
36	Bill Whidden	LB/DE	6-3	204	Fr.	18	Troy
	Joe Widman	C	5-10	175	Jr.	20	Norwalk
81	Thom Wilker	DE	6-3	200	So.	19	Amherst
	Joel Wilson	S	6-1	174	So.	18	Springfield, Va.
22	Myron Wilson**	DHB	6-0	195	Sr.	21	Cleveland (Glenville)
	Richard Wright	DHB	5-9	156	So.	19	East Cleveland (Glenville)
	Frank Yarbrough	DHB	5-10	146	So.	19	Cleveland (Glenville)

\* Denotes Letters Won

Age as of Sept. 1, 1973

Positions: SG—Strong Guard; QG—Quick Guard; ST—Strong Tackle; QT—Quick Tackle; M—Monsterback; S—Safety; K—Placekicker; P—Punter; (c)—Captains

Note: Players assigned numbers include 67 veterans and 18 freshman prospects.



## COMPOSITE SCHEDULE OF BG OPPONENTS

1973	Sept. 8	Sept. 15	Sept. 22	Sept. 29	Oct. 6	Oct. 13	Oct. 20	Oct. 27	Nov. 3	Nov. 10	Nov. 17	Nov. 24
SYRACUSE		BOWLING GREEN	Michigan State	at Washington	at Maryland	at Navy	Penn State	Miami (Fla.)	at Pittsburgh	at Holy Cross	Boston College	West Virginia
DAYTON	Youngstown	at Miami	BOWLING GREEN	Central Michigan	Southern Illinois	Ball State	at Toledo	Drake	at Xavier	at Louisville	at Marshall	
WESTERN MICHIGAN	at Central Michigan	Long Beach	Northern Illinois	at BOWLING GREEN	Kent	at Toledo	Marshall	at Ohio	Miami	Ball State	at Texas Arlington	
TOLEDO		at Tampa	Central Michigan	Ohio	at BOWLING GREEN	Western Michigan	Dayton	at Miami	at Colorado State	at Marshall	Kent	at Xavier
KENT STATE		Louisville	at Ohio University	at San Deigo State	at Western Michigan	BOWLING GREEN	Eastern Michigan	at Utah State	Marshall	Miami	at Toledo	Central Michigan
MIAMI		Dayton	at Purdue	at South Carolina	Marshall	Ohio University	at BOWLING GREEN	Toledo	at Western Michigan	at Kent	Cincinnati	
MARSHALL		Morehead State	at Nevada (Las Vegas)	Xavier	at Miami	at Northern Illinois	at Western Michigan	BOWLING GREEN	at Kent	Toledo	Dayton	Ohio University
OHIO UNIVERSITY			Kent	at Toledo	at North-western	at Miami	at South Carolina	Western Michigan	BOWLING GREEN	Cincinnati	at Penn State	at Marshall
EASTERN MICHIGAN	Ball State	Louisiana Tech	at Indiana State	St. Norbert	at Western Illinois		at Kent	Youngstown	at Central Michigan	at BOWLING GREEN	Nov. 22 Weber State	
NORTHERN ILLINOIS	Indiana State	Southern Illinois	at Western Michigan	at West Texas State	at Fresno State	Marshall	Ball State	at Illinois State	Western Illinois	at Xavier	at BOWLING GREEN	



# SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY

SEPT. 15

Game Site: Archbold Stadium (40,696), Syracuse, New York

Game Time: 1:30 p.m. EDT

## 1973 SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent (Series)	Site
Sept. 15	BOWLING GREEN (0-0-0)	Syracuse, N.Y.
Sept. 22	MICHIGAN STATE (3-6-0)	Syracuse, N.Y.
Sept. 29	at Washington (0-0-0)	Seattle, Wash.
Oct. 6	at Maryland (13-5-1)	College Park, Md.
Oct. 13	at Navy (8-2-0)	Annapolis, Md.
Oct. 20	PENN STATE (21-24-5)	Syracuse, N.Y.
Oct. 27	MIAMI (Fla.) (4-1-0)	Syracuse, N.Y.
Nov. 3	at Pittsburgh (13-13-2)	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Nov. 10	at Holy Cross (22-5-0)	Worcester, Mass.
Nov. 17	BOSTON COLLEGE (8-5-0)	Syracuse, N.Y.
Nov. 24	WEST VIRGINIA (12-8-0)	Syracuse, N.Y.

## 1972 RESULTS (5-6)

SYRACUSE	OPP.	SYRACUSE	OPP.
W 17 Temple	10	L 0 Penn State	17
L 20 N.C. State	43	W 10 Pittsburgh	6
L 7 Wisconsin	31	L 0 Boston Col.	37
W 16 Maryland	12	W 27 Army	6
L 2 Indiana	10	L 12 W. Virginia	43
W 30 Navy	14		

## FOE FACTS:

Enrollment — 12,891; Colors — Orange; Nickname — Orangemen; Location — Syracuse, New York 13210; Stadium — Archbold (41,731); Athletic Director — To Be Named; Head Coach — Ben Schwartzwalder (W. Va. '33); Years & Record — 25th, (151-82-3); Assistant Coaches — Ted Dailey, Carlmon Jones, Joe Krivak, Walley Mahle, Paul Paolisso, Rocco Pirro, John Seketa, Joe Szombathy.

Lettermen — Returning 28, Lost 25; Starters Returning — Offense 5, Defense 8; Offense - Counter flanker slot, full house, both run from unbalance line; Defense — 5-3, 4-4; "All" Candidates — Dave Lapham (OG), Mike McNeely (C), Ray Preston (LB), Ed Zamaitis (MG), Steve Webster (FB), Bernd Ruoff (K).

## THE SERIES:

First Meeting.

## FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Larry Kimball, SID Office Phone (315, 423-2608); Home Phone (315, 682-6002).

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# UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON

SEPT. 22

Game Site: Baujan Field (13,888), Dayton, Ohio

Game Time: 7:30 p.m. EDT

## 1973 SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent (Series)	Site
Sept. 8	YOUNGSTOWN (29-7-0)	Dayton
Sept. 15	at Miami (10-25-2)	Miami
Sept. 22	BOWLING GREEN (3-13-1)	Dayton
Sept. 29	CENTRAL MICHIGAN (0-0-0)	Dayton
Oct. 6	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS (1-2-1)	Dayton
Oct. 13	BALL STATE (0-1-0)	Dayton
Oct. 20	at Toledo (11-8-0)	Toledo
Oct. 27	DRAKE (1-0-0)	Dayton
Nov. 3	at Xavier (21-27-3)	Cincinnati
Nov. 10	at Louisville (9-12-0)	Louisville, Ky.
Nov. 17	at Marshall (14-4-0)	Huntington, Va.

## 1972 RESULTS (4-6-1)

DAYTON	OPP.	DAYTON	OPP.
W 18 Youngstown	13	L 17 Toledo	20
L 7 Miami	34	W 14 VMI	10
W 39 Marshall	0	W 31 Xavier	13
L 11 Louisville	28	L 0 Bowling Green	5
T 6 So. Illinois	6	L 22 E. Carolina	24
L 7 Ball State	28		

## FOE FACTS:

Enrollment — 6,500; Colors — Red & Blue; Nickname — Flyers; Location — Dayton, Ohio 45469; Stadium — Baujan Field (13,888); Athletic Director — John E. McVay; Head Coach — Ron Marciniak (Kansas State '55); Years & Record — First Year; Assistant Coaches — Bob Mazie, Bill Dudley, Denny Green, Mike Nelson, Jerry Myers, Jim Edwards.

Lettermen — Returning 27, Lost 13; Starters Returning — Offense 6, Defense 5; Offense — Option; Defense — Multiple; "All" Candidates — Steve Siewe (C), Kevin Baldwin (DHB), Carlton Henry (LB).

## THE SERIES:

BG leads, 13-3-1; Last Game — 5-0 BG in 1972 Won; Win Streak BG 1

1926	0-41	1959	14-0	1964	35-0	1969	27-7
1947	13-20	1961	28-11	1965	9-0	1970	14-14
1954	16-0	1962	14-7	1966	13-0	1971	16-26
1958	25-0	1963	28-0	1967	7-0	1972	5-0

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**WESTERN MICHIGAN****SEPT. 29**

Game Site: Doyt L. Perry Field (23,272), Bowling Green, Ohio

Game Time: 1:30 p.m. EDT

**1973 SCHEDULE**

Date	Opponent (Series)	Site
Sept. 8	at Central Mich. (32-10-1)	Mt. Pleasant, Mich.
Sept. 15	LONG BEACH (1-0-0)	Kalamazoo, Mich.
Sept. 22	NO. ILLINOIS (5-0-0)	Kalamazoo, Mich.
Sept. 29	at Bowling Green (4-13-2)	Bowling Green
Oct. 6	KENT (13-8-1)	Kalamazoo, Mich.
Oct. 13	at Toledo (13-14-0)	Toledo
Oct. 20	MARSHALL (13-6-0)	Kalamazoo, Mich.
Oct. 27	at Ohio (10-18-1)	Athens
Nov. 3	MIAMI (5-25-0)	Kalamazoo, Mich.
Nov. 10	BALL STATE (2-0-0)	Kalamazoo, Mich.
Nov. 17	at Texas Arlington (0-0-0)	Arlington, Tex.

**1972 RESULTS (7-3-1)**

WMU	OPP.	WMU	OPP.
W 28	Long Beach St. 20	W 34	Marshall 0
L 14	Fresno St. 41	W 34	Ohio U. 17
W 14	No. Illinois 10	W 31	Ball State 14
T 13	Bowling Grn. 13	W 27	Idaho 16
W 13	Kent State 12	L 8	Miami 38
L	Toledo 20		

**FOE FACTS:**

Enrollment — 21,000; Colors — Brown & Gold; Nickname — Broncos; Location — Kalamazoo, Mich. 49001; Stadium — Waldo Stadium (25,000); Athletic Director — Dr. Joseph T. Hoy; Head Coach — Bill Doolittle (Ohio State '48); Years & Record — Tenth Year (49-36-2); Assistant Coaches — Bill Rowekamp, Bob Wyman, Fred Stevens, Dick Raklovits, John Miller, Chuck Comer.

Lettermen — Returning 29, Lost 25; Starters Returning — Offense 4, Defense 5; Offense — Veer; Defense — Pro 4-3; "All" Candidates — Dominic Riggio (LB), Larry Cates (HB).

**THE SERIES:**

BG leads, 13-4-2; Last Game — 13-13 Tie in 1972

1954	15-20	1959	34-0	1964	28-8	1969	21-10
1955	35-0	1960	14-13	1965	21-17	1970	3-23
1956	27-13	1961	21-0	1966	14-16	1971	23-6
1957	14-14	1962	10-6	1967	6-10	1972	13-13
1958	40-6	1963	16-7	1968	17-10		

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**TOLEDO****OCT. 6**

Game Site: Doyt L. Perry Field (23,272), Bowling Green, Ohio

Game Time: 1:30 p.m. EDT

**1973 SCHEDULE**

Date	Opponent (Series)	Site
Sept. 15	at Tampa (0-1-0)	Tampa, Fla.
Sept. 22	CENTRAL MICHIGAN (0-2-0)	Toledo
Sept. 29	OHIO (8-15-0)	Toledo
Oct. 6	at Bowling Green (14-19-4)	Bowling Green
Oct. 13	WESTERN MICHIGAN (14-13-0)	Toledo
Oct. 20	DAYTON (8-11-0)	Toledo
Oct. 27	at Miami (6-14-0)	Miami
Nov. 3	at Colorado State (1-0-0)	Fort Collins, Colo.
Nov. 10	at Marshall (15-10-1)	Huntington, W. Va.
Nov. 17	KENT STATE (9-10-0)	Toledo
Nov. 24	at Xavier (3-8-0)	Cincinnati

**1972 RESULTS (6-5)**

TOLEDO	OPP.	TOLEDO	OPP.
L 0	Tampa 21	W 20	Dayton 17
W 16	Eastern Mich. 0	W 35	Miami 21
W 38	Tex.-Arlington 24	L 7	No. Illinois 30
L 22	Ohio 38	W 21	Marshall 0
L 8	Bowling Grn. 19	L 9	Kent State 27
W 20	Western Mich. 13		

**FOE FACTS:**

Enrollment — 14,700; Colors — Midnight Blue & Gold; Nickname — Rockets; Location — Toledo, Ohio 43606; Stadium — Glass Bowl (18,500); Athletic Director — Vern Smith; Head Coach — Jack Murphy (Heidelberg '54); College Years & Record — Fourth Year (21-11); Assistant Coaches — Dan Simrell, Irv Wright, Paul Krasula, Ed Klein, Bill McConnell, Ron Graham.

Lettermen — Returning 30, Lost 10; Starters Returning — Offense 7, Defense 8; Offense — I, Pro Set; Defense — Oklahoma; "All" Candidates — Pete Alsup (DB), Mel Minnfield (DE), Doug Neuendorf (OT), Ed Farris (OT), Doug Cherry (OG), Don Seymour (TE).

**THE SERIES:**

BG leads, 19-14-4, Last Game — 19-8 in 1972; Win Streak — BG 1

1919	0-6	1933	7-26	1954	7-38	1963	22-20
1921	20-7	1934	0-22	1955	39-0	1964	31-14
1922	6-6	1935	0-63	1956	34-12	1965	21-14
1923	0-27	1948	21-6	1957	29-0	1966	14-13
1924	7-12	1949	19-20	1958	31-16	1967	0-33
1928	14-0	1950	39-14	1959	51-21	1968	0-0
1929	0-0	1951	6-12	1960	14-3	1969	26-27
1930	0-0	1952	29-19	1961	17-6	1970	0-20
1932	12-6	1953	19-20	1962	28-13	1971	7-24
						1972	19-8

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**KENT STATE****OCT. 13**

Game Site: Memorial Stadium (29,000) Kent, Ohio

Game Time: 1:30 p.m. EDT

**1973 SCHEDULE**

Date	Opponent (Series)	Site
Sept. 15	LOUISVILLE (8-8-0)	Kent
Sept. 22	at Ohio University (8-16-1)	Athens
Sept. 29	at San Diego State (0-1-0)	San Diego, Calif.
Oct. 6	at Western Mich. (9-12-1)	Kalamazoo, Mich.
Oct. 13	BOWLING GREEN (11-24-6)	Kent
Oct. 20	EASTERN MICHIGAN (0-0-0)	Kent
Oct. 27	at Utah State (0-0-0)	Logan, Utah
Nov. 3	MARSHALL (14-7-0)	Kent
Nov. 10	MIAMI (5-15-0)	Kent
Nov. 17	at Toledo (9-10-0)	Toledo
Nov. 24	CENTRAL MICHIGAN (2-0-0)	Kent

**1972 RESULTS (6-5-1)**

KENT	OPP.	KENT	OPP.
T 13 Akron Univ.	13	W 26 Xavier	16
L 0 Louisville	34	L 7 No. Illinois	28
W 37 Ohio Univ.	14	W 16 Marshall	14
L 0 San Diego St.	14	W 21 Miami Univ.	10
L 12 Western Mich.	13	W 27 Toledo	9
W 14 Bowling Grn.	10	L 18 Tampa	21

**FOE FACTS:**

Enrollment — 19,000; Colors — Gold & Blue; Nick-name — Golden Flashes; Location — Kent, Ohio 44242; Stadium — Memorial (29,000); Athletic Director — Mike Lude; Head Coach — Don James (Miami, Fla. 1954); Years & Record — Third Year (9-13-1); Assistant Coaches — Dennis Fitzgerald, Dick Scesniak, Bob Stull, Ray Dorr, Fred Gissendaner, Maury Bibent, Sam Elliott, Skip Hall.

Lettermen — Returning 32, Lost 20; Starters Returning — Offense 7, Defense 8; Offense — Triple Option; Defense — 4-3; "All" Candidates — Jack Lambert (LB), Gary Pinkel (TE), Greg Kokal (QB), Larry Poole (TB).

**THE SERIES:**

BG leads, 24-11-6; Last Game — 14-10 KS won in 1972; Win Streak — KS 1

1920	7-0	1939	34-0	1952	44-21	1962	45-6
1921	0-0	1940	0-13	1953	7-41	1963	18-3
1922	6-0	1941	12-6	1954	25-28	1964	41-0
1927	13-0	1942	0-7	1955	6-6	1965	7-6
1928	6-6	1946	13-0	1956	17-0	1966	13-35
1934	0-0	1947	21-18	1957	13-7	1967	7-6
1935	0-45	1948	23-14	1958	7-8	1968	30-7
1936	0-6	1949	27-6	1959	25-8	1969	7-0
1937	13-13	1950	6-19	1960	28-0	1970	44-0
1938	3-7	1951	27-27	1961	21-6	1971	46-33
						1972	10-14

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**34/BOWLING GREEN****MIAMI****OCT. 20**

Game Site: Doyt L. Perry Field (23,272), Bowling Green, Ohio

Game Time: 1:30 p.m. EDT

**1973 SCHEDULE**

Date	Opponent (Series)	Site
Sept. 15	DAYTON (25-10-2)	Oxford
Sept. 22	at Purdue (1-5-0)	Lafayette, Ind.
Sept. 29	at South Carolina (1-0-0)	Columbia, S. C.
Oct. 6	MARSHALL (21-3-1)	Oxford
Oct. 13	OHIO U. (28-20-1)	Oxford
Oct. 20	at Bowling Green (19-9-2)	Bowling Green
Oct. 27	TOLEDO (14-6-0)	Oxford
Nov. 3	at Western Mich. (25-5-0)	Kalamazoo, Mich.
Nov. 10	at Kent State (15-5-0)	Kent
Nov. 17	CINCINNATI (40-31-6)	Oxford

**1972 RESULTS (7-3)**

MIAMI	OPP.	MIAMI	OPP.
W 32 Dayton	7	W 21 So. Carolina	8
L 7 Bowling Grn.	16	L 21 Toledo	35
W 25 Xavier	7	W 38 Western Mich.	8
W 22 Marshall	7	L 10 Kent State	21
W 31 Ohio U.	7	W 23 Cincinnati	0

**FOE FACTS:**

Enrollment — 13,100; Colors — Red & White; Nick-name — Redskins; Location — Oxford, Ohio 45056; Stadium — Miami Field (14,900); Athletic Director — Richard G. Shrider; Head Coach — Bill Mallory (Miami '57); Years & Record — Fifth Year (28-12); Assistant Coaches — George Belu, Ron Corradini, Dick Crum, Gary Durchik, Floyd Keith, Bob Reublin, Milan Vooletich.

Lettermen — Returning 30, Lost 21; Starters Returning — Offense 4, Defense 7; Offense — Multiple; Defense — Oklahoma; "All" Candidates — Bob Hitchens (TB), Mike Biehle (OT), Dan Rebsch (DB), Mike Monos (LB).

**THE SERIES:**

Miami leads, 19-9-2; Last Game — 16-7 BG in 1972; Win Streak — BG 2

1941	9-0	1951	7-46	1959	33-16	1966	17-14
1942	7-6	1952	7-42	1960	21-12	1967	7-9
1943	6-45	1953	0-47	1961	6-7	1968	7-31
1944	7-28	1954	7-46	1962	24-24	1969	3-0
1945	0-26	1955	0-7	1963	12-21	1970	3-7
1946	0-6	1956	7-7	1964	21-18	1971	33-7
1947	19-33	1957	7-13	1965	7-23	1972	16-7
1950	6-54	1958	14-28				

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**MARSHALL****OCT. 27**

Game Site: Fairfield Stadium (16,500), Huntington, W. Va.

Game Time: 1:30 p.m. EDT

**1973 SCHEDULE**

Date	Opponent (Series)	Site
Sept. 15	MOREHEAD STATE (17-7-3)	Huntington, W.Va.
Sept. 21	Nevada, Las Vegas (0-0-0)	Las Vegas, Nev.
Sept. 29	XAVIER (6-13-0)	Huntington, W. Va.
Oct. 6	Miami (3-21-1)	Oxford
Oct. 13	Northern Illinois (0-3-0)	DeKalb, Ill.
Oct. 20	Western Michigan (6-13-0)	Kalamazoo, Mich.
Oct. 27	BOWLING GREEN (3-16-0)	Huntington, W.Va.
Nov. 3	Kent State (7-14-0)	Kent
Nov. 10	TOLEDO (10-15-1)	Huntington, W.Va.
Nov. 17	DAYTON (4-14-0)	Huntington, W.Va.
Nov. 24	OHIO UNIVERSITY (7-21-6)	Huntington, W.Va.

**1972 RESULTS (2-8)**

MAR.	OPP.	MAR.	OPP.
W 27	Morehead St. 24	L 0	Western Mich. 34
L 0	Dayton 39	L 7	Bowling Grn. 46
L 7	No. Illinois 24	L 14	Kent State 16
L 7	Miami 22	L 0	Toledo 21
L 0	Xavier 14	W 31	Ohio Univ. 14

**FOE FACTS:**

Enrollment — 9,469; Colors — Kelly Green & White; Nickname — Thundering Herd; Location — Huntington, W. Va. 25715; Stadium — Fairfield Stadium (16,500); Athletic Director — Joe McMullen; Head Coach — Jack Lengyel (Akron '57); College Years & Record — Eighth Year (28-37); Assistant Coaches — Jim McNally, John Riley, Red Dawson, Mickey Jackson, Andy Nameth, Mickey Watson.

Lettermen — Returning 34, Lost 4; Starters Returning — Offense 11, Defense 7; Offense — Slot - I; Defense — Oklahoma; "All" Candidates — Charles Henry (CB), Chuck Wright (DT), Lanny Steed (SE).

**THE SERIES:**

BG leads, 16-3-0; Last Game — 46-7 BG in 1972; Win Streak — BG 1

1954	19-26	1959	51-7	1964	28-0	1969	16-21
1955	27-26	1960	14-7	1965	20-6	1970	26-24
1956	34-12	1961	40-0	1966	14-6	1971	10-12
1957	14-7	1962	48-6	1967	9-7	1972	46-7
1958	21-7	1963	21-14	1968	54-28		

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**OHIO UNIVERSITY****NOV. 3**

Game Site: Peden Stadium (17,550), Athens, Ohio

Game Time: 1:30 EST

**1973 SCHEDULE**

Date	Opponent (Series)	Site
Sept. 22	KENT STATE (16-8-1)	Athens
Sept. 29	at Toledo (15-8-0)	Toledo
Oct. 6	at Northwestern (0-0-0)	Evanston, Ill.
Oct. 13	at Miami (20-28-1)	Oxford
Oct. 20	at South Carolina (0-0-0)	Columbia, S.C.
Oct. 27	WESTERN MICHIGAN (18-11-1)	Athens
Nov. 3	BOWLING GREEN (10-14-1)	Athens
Nov. 10	CINCINNATI (21-17-4)	Athens
Nov. 17	at Penn State (0-3-0)	University Park, Pa.
Nov. 24	at Marshall (21-7-6)	Huntington, W. Va.

**1972 RESULTS (3-8)**

OHIO	OPP.	OHIO	OPP.
W 26	Central Mich. 21	L 21	VPI 53
L 14	Idaho 17	L 17	Western Mich. 34
L 14	Kent State 37	L 0	Bowling Grn. 17
W 38	Toledo 22	L 6	Tulane 44
W 28	Cincinnati 14	L 14	Marshall 31
L 7	Miami 31		

**FOE FACTS:**

Enrollment — 17,500; Colors — Green & White; Nickname — Bobcats; Location — Athens, Ohio 45701; Stadium — Peden (17,550); Athletic Director — Bill Rohr; Head Coach — Bill Hess (Ohio '47); Years & Record — 16th Year, (84-62-3); Assistant Coaches — Frank Richey, Cliff Heffelfinger, Bob Kappes, Joe Dean, Frank Ellwood, Carlin Carpenter.

Lettermen — Returning 25, Lost 18; Starters Returning — Offense 5, Defense 7; Offense — Multiple-I; Defense — Oklahoma; "All" Candidates — Bill Gary (TB), Jeff Beams (OT), Ed Bestvina (OT), Rich Bevely (QB), L. C. Lyons (FB), Tim Worner (WR).

**THE SERIES:**

BG leads, 14-10-1; Last Game — 17-0 BG won in 1972; Win Streak — BG 2

1945	6-0	1954	14-26	1960	7-14	1966	28-0
1947	2-0	1955	13-0	1961	7-6	1967	7-31
1948	13-7	1956	41-27	1962	7-6	1968	27-28
1951	7-28	1957	7-7	1963	0-16	1969	23-16
1952	14-33	1958	33-6	1964	0-21	1970	7-34
1953	14-22	1959	13-9	1965	17-7	1971	20-19
						1972	17-0

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**EASTERN MICHIGAN****NOV. 10**

Game Site: Doyt L. Perry Field (23,272), Bowling Green, Ohio

Game Time: 1:30 p.m. EST

**1973 SCHEDULE**

Date	Opponent (Series)	Site
Sept. 8	BALL STATE (7-5-2)	Ypsilanti, Mich.
Sept. 15	LOUISIANA TECH (0-2-0)	Ypsilanti, Mich.
Sept. 22	at Indiana State (6-2-0)	Terre Haute, Ind.
Sept. 29	ST. NORBERT (1-0-0)	Ypsilanti, Mich.
Oct. 6	at Western Illinois (4-8-1)	Macomb, Ill.
Oct. 20	at Kent State (0-0-0)	Kent
Oct. 27	YOUNGSTOWN (1-3-0)	Ypsilanti, Mich.
Nov. 3	at Central Mich. (17-29-4)	Mt. Pleasant, Mich.
Nov. 10	at Bowling Green (5-4-1)	Bowling Green
Nov. 22	WEBER STATE (0-0-0)	Ypsilanti, Mich.

**1972 RESULTS (6-4)**

EMU	OPP.	EMU	OPP.
W 26	Oshkosh St. 14	W 21	Quantico 7
L 0	Toledo 16	W 30	N.M. Highlands 6
L 0	Tampa 46	W 42	St. Norbert 14
L 14	Idaho St. 21	L 17	Louisiana Tech 24
W 24	No. Michigan 15	W 28	Central Mich. 3

**FOE FACTS:**

Enrollment — 20,000; Colors — Green and White; Nickname — Hurons; Location — Ypsilanti, Michigan 48197; Stadium — Rynearson Stadium (15,500); Athletic Director — F. L. "Frosty" Ferzacca; Head Coach — Dan Boisture (Detroit '50); Years & Record — 7th Year (39-16-3); Assistant Coaches — Dave Brazil, Ed Chlebek, Doug Graber, Jim McKinley, D. Scott Renninger Jr.

Lettermen — Returning 30, Lost 18; Starters Returning — Offense 6, Defense 8; Offense — Pro-set; Defense — 4-4-3; "All" Candidates — Jim Pietrzak (G), Houston Booth (QB), Mike Strickland (HB), John Banaszak (DE), Greg Bankston (DB).

**THE SERIES:**

EMU leads, 5-4-1; Last Game — 20-6 BG Won in 1941; Win Streak — BG 3

1919	0-10	1929	7-34	1938	7-7
1920	0-68	1936	6-0	1939	23-13
1925	0-14	1937	0-25	1940	15-0
				1941	20-6

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**36/BOWLING GREEN****NORTHERN ILLINOIS U. NOV. 17**

Game Site: Doyt L. Perry Field (23,272) Bowling Green, Ohio

Game Time: 1:30 p.m. EST

**1973 SCHEDULE**

Date	Opponent (Series)	Site
Sept. 8	INDIANA STATE (2-2-0)	DeKalb, Ill.
Sept. 15	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS (18-11-1)	DeKalb, Ill.
Sept. 22	at Western Mich. (0-5-0)	Kalamazoo, Mich.
Sept. 29	at West Texas State (2-3-0)	Canyon, Tex.
Oct. 6	at Fresno State (0-1-0)	Fresno, Cal.
Oct. 13	MARSHALL UNIVERSITY (3-0-0)	DeKalb, Ill.
Oct. 20	BALL STATE (5-1-2)	DeKalb, Ill.
Oct. 27	at Illinois State (17-18-9)	Normal, Ill.
Nov. 3	WESTERN ILLINOIS (16-12-1)	DeKalb, Ill.
Nov. 10	at Xavier (3-1-0)	Cincinnati
Nov. 17	at Bowling Green (1-2-0)	Bowling Green

**1972 RESULTS (7-4)**

NIU	OPP.	NIU	OPP.
W 21	Illinois State 7	W 17	West Texas St. 8
L 7	Wisconsin 31	W 28	Kent State 7
L 10	Western Mich. 14	W 30	Toledo 7
W 24	Marshall 7	L 6	Fresno State 9
W 20	Xavier 7	W 22	Long Beach 13
L 13	Idaho 31		

**FOE FACTS:**

Enrollment — 20,918; Colors — Cardinal & Black; Nickname — Huskies; Location — DeKalb, Illinois 60115; Stadium — Northern Illinois Stadium (19,135); Athletic Director — Dr. Robert J. Brigham; Head Coach — Jerry A. Ippoliti (Miami '58); Years & Record — Third Year (12-9-1); Assistant Coaches — Kip Cramer, Ralph Zurbrugg, Joe Redmond, Herb Grenke, Mike Batina.

Lettermen — Returning 29, Lost 18; Starters Returning — Offense 8, Defense 7; Offense — I Formation; Defense — 4-3; "All" Candidates — Mark Kellar (FB), Rich Marks (S).

**THE SERIES:**

BG leads, 2-1-0; Last Game — 38-23 BG in 1969; Win Streak — BG 1

1967	17-7	1968	6-7	1969	38-23
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# 1972 YEAR OF THE CHALLENGE REVISITED

## NATIONAL RECOGNITION

**UPI Coach-Of-The-Week:** Don Nehlen (Sept. 16 vs. Purdue)

**AP Honorable Mention All-American:** Paul Miles, Fred Sturt, John Czerwinski

**Gridiron All-Midwest:** Fred Sturt & John Czerwinski

**Gridiron Freshman Team:** Don Taylor

**NCAA TV Game Outstanding Players:** John Villapiano, Phil Polak

**All-Ohio Shrine Bowl:** John Czerwinski (voted outstanding offensive lineman), Earl Hargrove, Don Nehlen (assistant coach).

### NCAA Statistics

Paul Miles, 21st in rushing with 102.4 per-game average

Team Total Defense: 10th

Team Rushing Defense: Ninth

Team Scoring Defense: 13th

Best Single-Game Defense: 16 yards vs. Dayton

## MID-AMERICAN HONORS

**MAC First Team:** Paul Miles\*, John Czerwinski\*, Fred Sturt, Tom Hall

**MAC Second Team:** John Villapiano, Earl Hargrove, Myron Wilson, Bill Pittman, Phil Polak, Greg Meczka

**MAC HM:** Tony Kijanko, Tom Fisher, Gary Zelonis, Gary Seemann.

\* Repeat Selections

**MAC Academic:** Hal Watz, Dave McMichael

**MAC Players-Of-The-Week:** Tom Fisher (Purdue), John Villapiano (Miami), Paul Miles (Marshall)

## BOWLING GREEN HONORS

**Most Valuable Offense:** Fred Sturt, Phil Polak

**Most Valuable Defense:** Earl Hargrove

**Captains Award:** Bill Pittman, Bill Montrie

**Most Efficient Offensive Back:** Paul Miles

**Most Efficient Offensive Lineman:** John Czerwinski

**Most Efficient Defensive Lineman:** Earl Hargrove

**Most Efficient Defensive Back:** Myron Wilson

## 1972 GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

GAME	SCORE	TOTAL OFFENSE		RUSHING		PASSING				PUNTING		RETURNS		PENALTIES		FUMBLES		FIRST DOWNS
		Att.	Yds.	Att.	Yds.	Att.	Comp.	Int.	Yds.	No.	Avg.	No.	Yds.	No.	Yds.	No.	Lost	No.
BOWLING GREEN Purdue*	17	66	212	49	168	17	3	0	44	8	40.0	2	22	5	35	4	1	12
	14	65	244	56	204	9	4	1	40	5	39.2	2	60	3	31	6	5	16
BOWLING GREEN Miami*	16	64	244	50	154	14	7	1	90	6	38.3	1	6	5	35	2	0	14
	7	73	262	57	146	16	10	0	116	4	34.2	4	30	3	50	6	3	16
BOWLING GREEN Western Michigan*	13	70	209	49	107	21	7	2	102	7	39.0	2	36	9	73	4	0	13
	13	71	330	48	154	23	9	1	176	6	33.3	4	28	5	52	7	3	18
BOWLING GREEN Toledo*	19	87	330	67	217	20	6	0	113	9	27.3	6	57	7	62	5	2	22
	8	69	218	41	115	28	11	2	103	7	33.3	1	3	8	87	3	1	13
BOWLING GREEN* Kent State	10	68	353	50	310	18	4	2	43	7	38.6	7	52	7	68	5	4	13
	14	64	205	53	167	11	4	0	38	10	36.6	6	103	6	50	5	2	10
BOWLING GREEN San Diego State*	19	83	384	67	257	16	6	1	127	4	36.2	8	99	7	72	3	2	19
	35	66	449	38	66	28	17	4	383	3	32.7	3	43	5	60	2	1	20
BOWLING GREEN* Marshall	46	77	385	68	360	9	6	0	81	3	37.3	7	61	8	55	5	3	17
	7	58	88	29	-32	29	9	0	120	10	23.7	0	0	6	54	3	1	7
BOWLING GREEN* Ohio University	17	61	319	56	316	5	1	1	3	5	34.2	2	6	1	9	1	0	14
	0	67	177	49	87	18	7	0	90	8	32.4	4	16	1	15	2	0	12
BOWLING GREEN* Dayton	5	82	191	69	137	13	6	1	82	8	37.9	6	6	4	40	4	1	15
	0	47	16	29	-23	18	4	2	47	9	36.9	4	24	4	32	3	2	4
BOWLING GREEN Tampa*	22	62	305	47	181	15	7	2	124	6	28.6	2	3	6	63	2	1	14
	29	80	448	58	250	22	14	1	198	2	39.0	2	18	8	75	3	2	27

\* Home Team



# CAPSULE GAME-BY-GAME SUMMARIES

## Sept. 16, at West Lafayette, Ind. (51,859)

Bowling Green	14	0	0	3	=	17
Purdue	7	7	0	0	=	14

BG: TD — Roger Wallace (20, pass from Lampport) PAT-Taylor  
 PU: TD — Skip Peterson (40, run) PAT-Connor  
 BG: TD — Bill Pittman (7, fumble recovery) PAT-Taylor  
 PU: TD — Otis Armstrong (16, run) PAT-Connor  
 BG: FG — Don Taylor (29)

BG: Rushing — Polak 20-94, Miles 13-29; Passing — Lampport 16-3-44; Receiving — Meczka 2-24.

PU: Rushing — Armstrong 19-105; Passing — Bobrowski 7-4-40

## Sept. 23, at Oxford, Ohio (11,518)

Bowling Green	0	7	0	9	=	16
Miami	0	0	0	7	=	7

BG: TD — Phil Polak (1, run) PAT-Taylor  
 BG: FG — Don Taylor (27)  
 MU: TD — Bob Hitchens (8, run) PAT-Graham  
 BG: TD — Joe Babics (1, run) Kick failed

BG: Rushing — Polak 18-88, Miles 19-55; Passing — Lampport 10-5-65; Receiving — Wallace 3-50.

MU: Rushing — Hitchens 29-84; Passing — Williams 16-10-116; Receiving — Tim Williams 4-38.

## Sept. 30, at Kalamazoo, Mich. (17,850)

Bowling Green	0	7	6	0	=	13
Western Michigan	0	0	0	13	=	13

BG: TD — Tony Bell (34, pass from Lampport) PAT-Taylor  
 BG: TD — Phil Polak (1, run) Kick failed  
 WM: TD — Larry Cates (6, run) PAT-Canfield  
 WM: TD — Bob Gavinski (77, pass from Jorgensen) Kick failed

BG: Rushing — Miles 26-50, Polak 10-34; Passing — Lampport 20-7-102; Receiving — Bell 5-88.

WM: Rushing — Cates 17-90; Passing — Doolittle 16-6-70; Receiving — Gavinski 4-109.

## Oct. 8, at Toledo, Ohio (22,109)

Bowling Green	13	3	0	3	=	19
Toledo	0	0	0	8	=	8

BG: TD — Roger Wallace (39, pass from Lampport) PAT-Taylor  
 BG: TD — Paul Miles (2, run) Kick failed  
 BG: FG — Don Taylor (23)  
 BG: FG — Don Taylor (28)  
 TU: TD — Jeff Calabrese (20, pass from Arthur)  
 PAT Pass-Seymour from Arthur.

BG: Rushing — Miles 37-108, Polak 21-101; Passing — Lampport 20-6-113; Receiving — Meczka 2-31.

TU: Rushing — Schwartz 24-105; Passing — Arthur 27-11-103; Receiving — Calabrese 8-80.

## Oct. 14, at Bowling Green (20,507)

Bowling Green	0	3	7	0	=	10
Kent State	0	7	7	0	=	14

BG: FG — Don Taylor (26)  
 KS: TD — Gary Pinkel (37, pass from Hall) PAT-Flaherty  
 BG: TD — Phil Polak (74, run) PAT-Taylor  
 KS: TD — Gerald Tinker (63, punt return) PAT-Flaherty

KS: Rushing — Harmon 12-40; Passing — Hall 10-4-38;

BG: Rushing — Polak 15-140, Miles 14-62; Passing — Lampport 11-2-25; Receiving — Wallace 3-34

## Oct. 21, at San Diego, Calif. (36,121)

Bowling Green	0	3	0	16	=	19
San Diego State	14	7	0	14	=	35

SD: TD — Issac Curtis (31, pass from Donckers) PAT-Haughn  
 SD: TD — Tim Boyer (28, pass from Freitas) PAT-Haughn  
 BG: FG — Don Taylor (30)  
 SD: TD — Curtis (57, pass from Donckers) PAT-Haughn  
 BG: TD — Polak (3, run) PAT Pass-Pittman from Lampport  
 SD: TD — Greg Moses (5, pass from Donckers) PAT-Haughn  
 BG: TD — Keith Denson (38, pass from Freitas) PAT-Haughn  
 BG: TD — Tony Bell (58, pass from Babics)  
 PAT Pass-Wallace from Babics

BG: Rushing — Miles 22-151, Polak 17-65; Passing — Babics 11-5-114; Receiving — Meczka 2-22.

SD: Rushing — Benson 9-56; Passing — Donckers 17-10-215; Receiving — Curtis 5-162.

## Oct. 28, at Bowling Green (14,156)

Bowling Green	6	7	20	13	=	46
Marshall	0	0	0	7	=	7

BG: TD — Paul Miles (29, run) Kick failed  
 BG: TD — Paul Miles (62, run) PAT-Taylor  
 BG: TD — Paul Miles (42, run) PAT-Taylor  
 BG: TD — Tom Fisher (2, blocked punt) PAT Pass failed  
 BG: TD — Paul Miles (4, run) PAT-Taylor  
 BG: TD — Don Dillingham (3, run) PAT-Taylor  
 MU: TD — Lanny Steed (8, pass from Oliver) PAT-McCoy  
 BG: TD — Mike Watson (1, run) Kick failed

MU: Rushing — Johnstonbaugh 7-12; Passing — Oliver 29-9-120; Receiving — Steed 5-97.

BG: Rushing — Miles 27-217, Polak 10-44; Passing — Lampport 7-4-68; Receiving — Pittman 4-61.

## Nov. 4, at Bowling Green (17,867)

Ohio University	0	0	0	0	=	0
Bowling Green	0	7	3	7	=	17

BG: TD — Paul Miles (3, run) PAT-Taylor  
 BG: FG — Don Taylor (27)  
 BG: TD — Phil Polak (17, run) PAT-Taylor

OU: Rushing — Lyons 22-76; Passing — Bevely 18-7-90; Receiving — Juenger 3-12.

BG: Rushing — Miles 30-194, Polak 17-100; Passing — Babics 5-1-3

## Nov. 11, at Bowling Green (11,729)

Dayton	0	0	0	0	=	0
Bowling Green	3	0	0	2	=	5

BG: FG — Don Taylor (38)  
 BG: S — Safety (Tom Fisher)

UD: Rushing — Zink 4-16; Passing — Polke 18-4-39; Receiving — Nickles 2-15.

BG: Rushing — Miles 31-71, Polak 16-58; Passing — Babics 13-6-54; Receiving — Wallace 4-31.

## Nov. 18, at Tampa, Fla. (15,111)

Bowling Green	0	14	0	8	=	22
Tampa	7	10	6	6	=	29

UT: TD — Fred Solomon (8, run) PAT-Cooper  
 BG: TD — Meczka (37, pass from Babics) PAT-Taylor  
 UT: TD — Ernie DuBose (4, run) PAT-Cooper  
 BG: TD — Paul Miles (1, run) PAT-Taylor  
 UT: FG — Bob Cooper (27)  
 UT: TD — Ernie DuBose (9, run) Kick failed  
 UT: TD — Ernie DuBose (1, run) Pass failed  
 BG: TD — Tony Bell (20, run) PAT Pass-Meczka from Babics

BG: Rushing — Miles 24-87, Polak 12-61; Passing — Babics 15-7-124; Receiving — Wallace 2-50

UT: Rushing — DuBose 20-95; Passing — Carter 17-10-145; Receiving — DuBose 5-83.



# 1972 FINAL VARSITY FOOTBALL STATISTICS

RUSHING	ATT.	YG	YL	NET	TD	LP	AVG.
Paul Miles, tb	243	1104	80	1024	7	62	4.2
Phil Polak, fb	156	793	10	783	5	74	5.0
Bill Pittman, wb*	26	125	4	121	1	19	4.6
Tony Bell, wb	23	95	20	75	1	21	3.3
Don Dillingham, fb	8	53	0	53	1	18	6.6
Joe Babics, qb	61	182	147	35	1	15	0.6
Jamie Henneberry, fb	7	26	0	26	0	9	3.7
Dave Bower, tb*	7	26	0	26	0	5	3.7
Ed McCoy, qb	4	21	11	10	0	21	2.5
Vic Bakunoff, fb	1	7	0	7	0	7	7.0
Mike Watson, tb	1	1	0	1	1	1	1.0
Greg Brewton, tb	3	3	5	-2	0	0	—
Hal Watz, qb	7	13	21	-8	0	—	—
Reid Lamport, qb	25	51	63	-12	0	7	—
TOTALS	572	2500	361	2139	17	74	3.7
OPPONENTS	458	1595	461	1134	8	40	2.5

SCORING	TD	P-R-K	C-R-K	FGA-M	PTS
Paul Miles	7	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0	42
Don Taylor	0	0-0-19	0-0-14	12-8	38
Phil Polak	5	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0	30
Tony Bell	3	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0	18
Roger Wallace	2	0-0-0	1-0-0	0-0	14
Greg Meczka	1	0-0-0	1-0-0	0-0	8
Bill Pittman *	1	0-0-0	1-0-0	0-0	8
Joe Babics	1	2-0-0	0-0-0	0-0	6
Don Dillingham	1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0	6
Tom Fisher	1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0	6
Mike Watson	1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0	6
Safety	0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0	2
Reid Lamport	0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0	0
Hal Watz	0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0	0
TOTALS	23	4-0-19	3-0-14	12-8	184
OPPONENTS	18	2-0-16	1-0-14	7-1	127

PASSING	ATT	COMP	PCT	YDS	TD	INT
Reid Lamport	89	28	.315	430	3	6
Joe Babics	57	23	.403	338	2	4
Hal Watz	2	2	1.000	13	0	0
TOTALS	148	53	.358	781	5	10
OPPONENTS	203	89	.438	1303	9	12

RECEIVING	NO	YDS	TD	LP
Roger Wallace	16	242	2	39
Tony Bell	11	205	2	58
Greg Meczka	8	129	1	37
Bill Pittman *	8	129	0	29
Paul Miles	4	31	0	16
Phil Polak	3	22	0	12
Brian Cross *	2	14	0	14
Jamie Henneberry	1	9	0	9
TOTALS	53	781	5	58
OPPONENTS	89	1303	9	77

PUNTING	NO	YDS	AVG	BK	LP
Ed McCoy	63	2245	35.6	0	62
OPPONENTS	64	2138	33.4	3	50

PUNT RETURNS	NO	YDS	TD	LP
Bill Pittman *	21	137	0	34
Rick Newman	6	70	0	22
Gary Zelonis	1	18	0	18
Bill Fisher *	1	13	0	13
Gary Seemann *	1	7	0	7
Bill Centa	1	4	0	4
John Villapiano	1	0	0	0
Tom Fisher	0	2	1	2
TOTALS	32	251	1	34
OPPONENTS	20	144	1	63

\* Not Returning In 1973

KICKOFF RETURNS	NO	YDS	TD	LP
Bill Pittman *	9	194	0	27
Tony Bell	8	133	0	22
Greg Brewton	4	87	0	25
Rick Newman	2	45	0	23
Mark Beach *	1	11	0	11
Dave Bower	1	8	0	8
Jon Brandyberry *	1	0	0	0
TOTALS	26	478	0	27
OPPONENTS	33	634	0	40

PASS INTERCEPTIONS	NO	YDS	TD
Gary Seemann *	5	27	0
Myron Wilson	3	31	0
Rick Hans	1	36	0
John Villapiano	1	18	0
Rick Newman	1	0	0
Joe Russell	1	0	0
TOTALS	12	112	0
OPPONENTS	10	179	0

TEAM STATISTICS	BGSU	OPP.
First Downs	153	143
Rushing	106	75
Passing	32	57
Penalty	15	11
Rushing Yardage	2139	1134
Rushing Average	213.9	113.4
Passing Yardage	781	1303
Passing Average	78.1	130.3
Total Plays	720	660
Total Offense	2920	2437
Offensive Average	292.0	243.7
Fumbles/Lost	35/14	40/19
Penalties/Yards	59/512	48/497

DEFENSE	TAC	TL	FC	RF
John Villapiano, lb	160	13	0	0
Joe Russell, lb	141	7	0	0
Earl Hargrove, mg *	113	20	4	3
Tom Fisher, de	113	17	8	2
Kevin Taylor, de	94	21	3	1
Tom Hall, dt	91	15	6	2
Gary Zelonis, dt *	81	7	1	2
Myron Wilson, hb	60	9	0	1
Gary Seemann, s *	58	3	0	2
Rick Newman, hb	54	3	0	2
Dave Turner, m	44	9	1	7
Jesse Greathouse, m	44	5	0	0
Gary McBride, dt	27	4	0	0
Bill Fisher, de *	18	3	1	1
Bill Montrie, de *	17	5	1	1
Rick Hans, hb	14	1	0	0
Bill Centa, mg	12	5	0	0
Steve Price, lb *	12	0	0	0
Thom Wilker, de	2	0	0	1

Code: TAC = Tackles; TL = Tackles For Loss;  
FC = Fumbles Caused; RF = Recovered Fumbles



## CAREER STATISTICS

### RUSHING

	Att.	YL	Yds.	TD	Avg.
PAUL MILES					
1971	274	52	1185	7	4.3
1972	243	80	1024	5	4.2
Career	517	132	2209	12	4.3

### PHIL POLAK

	Att.	YL	Yds.	TD	Avg.
1971	10	0	44	0	4.4
1972	156	10	783	5	5.0
Career	166	10	827	5	4.9

### PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	TD	HI
REID LAMPORT						
1971	154	71	1006	.461	7	12
1972	89	28	430	.315	3	6
Career	243	99	1436	.407	10	18

### JOE BABICS

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	TD	HI
1971	61	22	325	.361	2	3
1972	57	23	338	.403	2	4
Career	118	45	663	.381	4	7

### RECEIVING

	No.	Yds.	TD
ROGER WALLACE			
1971	10	99	1
1972	16	242	2
Career	26	341	3

### GREG MECZKA

	No.	Yds.	TD
1971	11	157	0
1972	8	129	1
Career	19	386	1

### ALL-PURPOSE

	Rush	Rec.	Ret.
TONY BELL			
1971	179	127	345
1972	75	205	133
Career	254	332	478

### RICK NEWMAN

	Rush	Rec.	Ret.
1971	0	443	0
1972	0	0	115
Career	0	443	115

### DEFENSIVE

	TAC	TL	CF	RF
JOHN VILLAPIANO				
1971	160	1	1	0
1972	160	13	0	0
Career	320	14	1	0

### TOM FISHER

	TAC	TL	CF	RF
1971	84	7	6	3
1972	113	17	8	2
Career	197	24	14	5

### TOM HALL

	TAC	TL	CF	RF
1971	84	0	1	0
1972	91	15	6	2
Career	175	15	7	2

### 40/BOWLING GREEN

## 1972 JV STATISTICS

### RESULTS (2-1)

BG	21	EASTERN MICHIGAN	15
BG	7	at Toledo	12
BG	22	MIAMI	21

	ATT	YL	YDS	TD	LP	AVG
RUSHING						
Mike Watson	68	3	326	2	15	4.8
Vic Bakunoff	40	1	235	1	13	5.9
Tom Moriarty	12	0	53	0	7	4.4
Dennis Trace	5	1	23	0	4	4.6
Ed McCoy	9	13	17	1	12	1.8
Todd Tramba	4	0	13	0	6	3.3
John Boles	31	71	7	1	10	0.2
Jerry Johnson	1	0	1	0	1	1.0
Hal Watz	3	4	0	0	4	0.0
TOTALS	173	93	675	5	15	3.9
OPPONENTS	140	104	483	5	39	3.9

	ATT	COMP	PCT	YDS	TD	INT
PASSING						
Ed McCoy	14	9	.643	170	2	0
John Boles	35	16	.457	158	0	5
Hal Watz	2	0	.000	000	0	0
TOTALS	51	25	.490	328	2	5
OPPONENTS	37	14	.378	163	1	5

	NO	YDS	TD	LP
RECEIVING				
Hal Thomas	7	165	2	57
Vic Bakunoff	6	52	0	10
Jim Mahony	5	51	0	22
Jim Snowden	2	28	0	15
Dennis Trace	3	19	0	11
Sherrill Jackson	1	9	0	9
Brian Bellovay	1	4	0	4
TOTALS	25	328	2	57
OPPONENTS	14	163	1	22

	TD	P-R-K	C-R-K	FGA-M	PTS
SCORING					
Hal Thomas	2	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0	12
Mike Watson	2	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0	12
Vic Bakunoff	1	0-0-0	1-0-0	0-0	8
John Boles	1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0	6
Ed CcCoy	1	3-0-0	0-0-0	0-0	6
Brian Bellovay	0	0-0-4	0-0-4	0-0	4
Jim Mahony	0	0-0-0	1-0-0	0-0	2
TOTALS	7	3-0-4	2-0-4	0-0	50
OPPONENTS	6	1-0-5	1-0-4	2-2	48

### TEAM STATISTICS

	BGSU	OPP.
First Downs	59	35
Rushing	37	27
Passing	18	7
Penalty	4	1
Rushing Yardage	675	483
Rushing Average	225.0	161.0
Passing Yardage	328	163
Passing Average	109.3	54.3
Total Plays	224	177
Total Offense	1003	646
Offensive Avg.	334.3	215.3
Fumbles/Lost	12/8	5/2
Penalties/Yards	10/111	13/132
Total Points	50	48



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## THE REESE TROPHY

Emblematic of athletic excellence in the MAC is the Reese Trophy awarded annually to the school maintaining the best record in the nine sports (football, cross country, basketball, swimming, wrestling, baseball, golf, tennis, track) contested on the conference level.

Year	Winner	Runner-Up	BG Finish
1959	Bowling Green	Western Michigan	First
1960	Ohio	Bowling Green	Second
1961	Ohio	WMU & Miami	Fourth
1962	WMU	Bowling Green	Second
1963	Ohio	Western Michigan	Third
1964	Ohio	Miami	Fourth
1965	Ohio	Bowling Green	Second
1966	Miami	Bowling Green	Second
1967	Miami	Western Michigan	Fourth
1968	Ohio	Miami	Fifth
1969	Ohio	Western Michigan	Sixth
1970	Ohio	Miami	Third
1971	Ohio	Western Michigan	Sixth
1972	Bowling Green	Miami	First
1973	Miami	Bowling Green	Second

## 1972 MAC Football

	MAC Games				All Games			
Kent	4	1	0	.800	6	4	1	.600
BG	3	1	1	.750	6	3	1	.667
WMU	2	2	1	.500	7	3	1	.700
Toledo	2	3	0	.400	6	5	0	.545
Miami	2	3	0	.400	7	3	0	.700
Ohio	1	4	0	.200	5	5	1	.500
*CMU					5	5	1	.500
*EMU					6	4	0	.600

\*Not eligible for championship

## BG IN MAC FOOTBALL

YEAR	FINISH (RECORD)	MAC CHAMPIONS
1972	Second (3-1-1)	Kent (4-1)
1971	Second (4-1-0)	Toledo (5-0-0)
1970	Fifth Tie (1-4-0)	Toledo (5-0-0)
1969	Second (4-1-0)	Toledo (5-0-0)
1968	Third Tie (3-2-1)	Ohio (6-0-0)
1967	Fifth (2-4-0)	Toledo & Ohio (5-1-0)
1966	Third (4-2-0)	Miami & W. Mich. (5-1-0)
1965	First Tie (5-1-0)	BG & Miami (5-1-0)
1964	First (5-1-0)	BG (5-1-0)
1963	Third (4-2-0)	Ohio (5-1-0)
1962	First (5-0-1)	BG (5-0-1)
1961	First (5-1-0)	BG (5-1-0)
1960	Second (5-1-0)	Ohio (6-0-0)
1959	First (6-0-0)	BG (6-0-0)
1958	Third (4-2-0)	Miami (5-0-0)
1957	Second Tie (3-1-2)	Miami (5-0-0)
1956	First (5-0-1)	BG (5-0-1)
1955	Second Tie (4-1-1)	Miami (5-0-0)
1954	Eighth (0-6-0)	Miami (4-0-0)
1953	Seventh (0-4-0)	Ohio (5-0-1)
1952	Fourth Tie (2-2-0)	Cincinnati (3-0-0)

Other MAC Champions: 1951 — Cincinnati (3-0-0); 1950 — Miami (4-0-0); 1949 — Cincinnati (4-0-0); 1948 — Miami (4-0-0); 1947 — Cincinnati (3-1-1).

Summary of BG Finishes: Firsts — 6; Seconds — 6; Thirds — 4; Fourths — 1; Fifts — 1; Sixths — 0; Sevenths — 1; Eights — 1.

## ALL-MAC SELECTIONS

### 1952

Jim Ladd, E ..... 1 st  
 Fred Durig, FB ..... 1 st

### 1953

Jim Ladd, E ..... 1 st  
 Bill Bradshaw, QB ..... 2nd

### 1954

Jack Hecker, E ..... 1 st  
 Tom Kisselle, E ..... 2nd

### 1955

Jack Hecker, E ..... 1 st  
 Kenneth Russell, T ..... 1 st  
 Fred Koch, T ..... 1 st  
 Tim Murnen, G ..... 2nd  
 Jim Bryan, QB ..... 2nd  
 Carlos Jackson, HB ..... 2nd

### 1956

Kenneth Russell, T ..... 1 st  
 Tim Murnen, G ..... 1 st  
 Harold Peek, C ..... 1 st  
 Vic DeOrio, HB ..... 1 st  
 Jack Giroux, FB ..... 1 st  
 Don Nehlen, QB ..... 2nd

### 1957

Tim Murnen, G ..... 1 st  
 Larry Baker, T ..... 1 st  
 Ray Reese, E ..... 1 st  
 Don Nehlen, QB ..... 2nd  
 Vic DeOrio, HB ..... 2nd  
 Bob Ramlow, HB ..... 2nd

### 1958

Ray Reese, G ..... 1 st  
 Bob Zimpfer, T ..... 1 st  
 Tom Colaner, E ..... 1 st  
 Jerry Roberts, E ..... 2nd  
 Bob Colburn, QB ..... 2nd  
 Bob Ramlow, HB ..... 2nd  
 Harold Furcron, HB ..... 2nd

### 1959

Ron Blackledge, E ..... 1 st  
 Bob Zimpfer, T ..... 1 st  
 Bob Colburn, QB ..... 1 st  
 Bernie Casey, HB ..... 1 st  
 Chuck Ramsey, G ..... 2nd  
 Russ Hepner, HB ..... 2nd  
 Jerry Dianiska, FB ..... 2nd

### 1960

Jerry Croft, T ..... 1 st  
 Jerry Colaner, G ..... 1 st  
 Bob Bird, T ..... 2nd  
 Jim Potts, QB ..... 2nd  
 Don Lisbon, HB ..... 2nd

### 1961

Dick Newsome, E ..... 1 st  
 Jerry Croft, T ..... 1 st  
 Gary Sherman, G ..... 1 st  
 Bob Reynolds, T ..... 2nd  
 Jim Potts, QB ..... 2nd  
 Russ Hepner, HB ..... 2nd  
 Roger Reynolds, HB ..... 2nd  
 Lou Youskievicz, C ..... 2nd

### 1962

Bob Reynolds, T ..... 1 st  
 Gary Sherman, G ..... 1 st  
 Ed Bettridge, C ..... 1 st  
 Don Lisbon, HB ..... 1 st  
 Asa Elsea, K ..... 1 st  
 Jay Cunningham, HB ..... 2nd

### 1963

Jay Cunningham, HB ..... 1 st  
 Tom Sims, E ..... 2nd  
 Bill Violet, G ..... 2nd  
 Jim Wisser, FB ..... 2nd

### 1964

Jay Cunningham, HB ..... 1 st  
 Jerry Jones, T ..... 1 st  
 Tom Reicosky, HB ..... 1 st  
 Jamie Rivers, E ..... 1 st  
 Stew Williams, FB ..... 1 st  
 Heath Wingate, C ..... 1 st  
 Jim Wisser, FB ..... 1 st

### 1965

Tony Fire, T ..... 1 st  
 Jamie Rivers, E ..... 1 st  
 Joe Souliere, HB ..... 1 st  
 Mike Weger, HB ..... 1 st  
 Stew Williams, FB ..... 1 st  
 Heath Wingate, C ..... 1 st

### 1966

Jamie Rivers, E ..... 1 st  
 Dick Wagoner, DB ..... 1 st  
 Mike Weger, DB ..... 1 st  
 Heath Wingate, C ..... 1 st  
 Eddie Jones, E ..... 2nd  
 Henry Orr, T ..... 2nd  
 Roger Schmidt, G ..... 2nd  
 Joe Siesel, LB ..... 2nd  
 Dave Seiter, E ..... 2nd  
 Joe Souliere, S ..... 2nd

### 1967

Charles Burley, LB ..... 1 st  
 Joe Green, MG ..... 2nd  
 Dennis Zolciak, LB ..... 2nd

### 1968

Eddie Jones, SE ..... 1 st  
 Joe Green, MG ..... 1 st  
 Larry Watson, C ..... 2nd  
 Tom Standing, E ..... 2nd  
 Dave Roese, T ..... 2nd  
 Dennis Zolciak, LB ..... 2nd  
 Dave Polak, LB ..... 2nd  
 Jerry Machovina, HB ..... 2nd

### 1969

Joe Green, MG ..... 1 st  
 Bob Zimpfer, FL ..... 1 st  
 Phil Villapiano, DE ..... 1 st  
 Honester Davidson, DHB ..... 1 st  
 Carl Battershell, T ..... 2nd  
 Dave Finley, G ..... 2nd  
 Vern Wireman, QB ..... 2nd  
 Tom Lloyd, T ..... 2nd  
 Bob Simmons, LB ..... 2nd

### 1970

Phil Villapiano, DE ..... 1 st  
 Dave Finley, G ..... 1 st  
 Bob Simmons, LB ..... 2nd  
 Tom Merlitti, LB ..... 2nd  
 Laurie Kelly, S ..... 2nd

### 1971

Paul Miles, TB ..... 1 st  
 John Czerwinski, T ..... 1 st  
 Dennis Maupin, C ..... 1 st  
 Jerry Fields, FB ..... 2nd  
 Fred Sturt, G ..... 2nd  
 Larren Meador, DT ..... 2nd  
 Julius Livas, DHB ..... 2nd

### 1972

Paul Miles, TB ..... 1 st  
 John Czerwinski, T ..... 1 st  
 Fred Sturt, G ..... 1 st  
 Tom Hall, DT ..... 1 st  
 John Villapiano, LB ..... 2nd  
 Earl Hargrove, MG ..... 2nd  
 Myron Wilson, DHB ..... 2nd  
 Bill Pittman, WB ..... 2nd  
 Phil Polak, FB ..... 2nd  
 Greg Meczka, TE ..... 2nd







# RECEIVING . . . RECEIVING . . . RECEIVING . . . RECEIVING . . . RECEIVING . . . RECEIVING . . . RECEIVING

## Passes Caught

\*13 Fred Mathews vs. Marshall, 1969  
11 Bill Pittman vs. Marshall, 1970  
11 Bob Zimpfer vs. West Texas, 1969  
11 Ed Jones vs. Ohio U., 1966  
10 Jack Hecker vs. Marshall, 1955  
9 Bob Zimpfer vs. Xavier, 1968  
9 Fred Mathews vs. Ohio, 1969

## Yards Gained Receiving

164 Bob Zimpfer vs. West Texas, 1969  
163 Jack Hecker, Marshall, 1970  
151 Bill Pittman vs. Marshall, 1970

## Touchdown Passes Caught

\*3 Clarence Mason vs. Western Mich., 1959

## Passes Caught

57 Fred Mathews, 1969  
49 Ed Jones, 1968  
49 Bob Zimpfer, 1968  
48 Bob Zimpfer, 1969  
43 Jim Ladd, 1952  
40 Ed Jones, 1966

## Yards Gained Receiving

785 Bob Zimpfer, 1969  
716 Ed Jones, 1968  
632 Jim Ladd, 1952  
566 Jack Hecker, 1955

## Touchdown Passes Caught

\*11 Jim Ladd, 1952  
7 Bob Zimpfer, 1969  
7 Bob Zimpfer, 1968  
7 Bob Schnelker, 1949

## Passes Caught

119 Ed Jones, 1966-68  
106 Bob Zimpfer, 1967-69  
90 Jim Ladd, 1951-53  
85 Fred Mathews, 1967-69  
52 Jack Hecker, 1953-55  
40 Bernie Casey, 1968-69

## Yards Gained Receiving

1615 Ed Jones, 1966-68  
1412 Bob Zimpfer, 1967-69  
1341 Jim Ladd, 1951-53  
1081 Jack Hecker, 1953-55

## Touchdown Passes Caught

17 Jim Ladd, 1951-53  
14 Bob Zimpfer, 1967-69  
12 Bob Schnelker, 1948-49  
11 Jack Hecker, 1953-55

# SCORING . . . SCORING . . . SCORING . . . SCORING . . . SCORING . . . SCORING . . . SCORING

## Touchdowns

4 Paul Miles vs. Marshall, 1972  
4 Julius Livas vs. Kent, 1970  
4 Ed Radich vs. Temple, 1966  
4 Fred Mathews vs. Marshall, 1968  
8 †Orville Rabering vs. Findlay, 1921

## Points Scored

24 Paul Miles vs. Marshall, 1972  
24 Julius Livas vs. Kent, 1970  
24 Fred Mathews vs. Marshall, 1968  
24 Charles Radich vs. Temple, 1966  
48 †Orville Raberding vs. Findlay, 1921

## Extra Point Attempts

\*9 Al Silva vs. Ball State, 1968  
8 Jim Perry vs. Temple, 1966  
7 Three Players  
22 †Carl Bachman vs. Findlay, 1921

## Extra Points Made

\*8 Al Silva vs. Ball State, 1968  
\*8 Jim Perry vs. Temple, 1966  
19 †Carl Bachman vs. Findlay, 1921

## Field Goals Made

3 Bill Witte vs. Western Mich., 1971

## Touchdowns

11 Jim Ladd, 1952  
11 Jerry Fields, 1971  
10 Don Lisbon, 1962  
10 Bernie Casey, 1959  
10 Fred Durig, 1951

## Points Scored

66 Jerry Fields, 1971  
66 Bernie Casey, 1959  
66 Jim Ladd, 1952  
60 Three Players

## Extra Point Attempts

34 Al Silva, 1968  
33 Harold Yawberg, 1952  
31 Jerry Ward, 1964  
31 Ed Simmons, 1948

## Extra Points Made

31 Jerry Fields, 1964  
30 Al Silva, 1968  
26 Harold Yawberg, 1952

## Field Goals Made

8 Don Taylor, 1972  
7 Bill Witte, 1971  
4 Stu Shestina, 1970

## Touchdowns

23 Jay Cunningham, 1962-64  
21 Fred Durig, 1950-52  
19 Vic DeOrio, 1955-57  
17 Three Players

## Points Scored

144 Jay Cunningham, 1962-64  
126 Fred Durig, 1950-52  
114 Vic DeOrio, 1955-57  
106 Fred Mathews, 1967-69  
102 Don Lisbon, 1960-62  
102 Jim Ladd, 1951-53

## Extra Point Attempts

74 Asa Elsea, 1960-62  
54 Jim Perry, 1965-67  
53 Chuck Perry, 1956-58  
41 Jerry Ward, 1962-64

## Extra Points Made

68 Asa Elsea, 1960-62  
49 Jim Perry, 1965-67  
41 Chuck Perry, 1956-58

## Field Goals Made

8 Don Taylor, 1972 — Still Active  
7 Bill Witte, 1971  
7 Stu Shestina, 1970-71

# TOTAL OFFENSE . . . TOTAL OFFENSE . . . TOTAL OFFENSE . . . TOTAL OFFENSE . . . TOTAL OFFENSE

## Total Plays

55 Vern Wireman vs. Marshall, 1969

## Yards Gained

264 Vern Wireman vs. West Texas, 1969

## Total Plays

355 Vern Wireman, 1969

## Yards Gained

1688 Vern Wireman, 1969

## Total Plays

775 Vern Wireman, 1968-70

## Yards Gained

3163 Vern Wireman, 1968-70



# PUNTING . . . PUNTING . . . PUNTING . . . PUNTING . . . PUNTING . . . PUNTING . . . PUNTING . . . PUNTING

## Punt Attempts

11 Tom Lawrence vs. Toledo, 1968  
11 Tom Lawrence vs. Ohio U., 1969  
11 Tom Lawrence vs. Utah State, 1969

## Punting Yards

431 Tom Lawrence vs. Toledo, 1968  
428 Tom Lawrence vs. Utah State, 1969  
421 Tom Lawrence vs. Dayton, 1970  
417 Tom Lawrence vs. Ohio U., 1969

## Punting Average

\*53.3 Bill Bradshaw vs. Ohio U., 1953  
51.3 Norm Limpert vs. Marshall, 1964  
51.3 Bill Bradshaw vs. Western Mich., 1954  
51.3 Bill Bradshaw vs. Bradley, 1953

## Punt Attempts

\*80 Tom Lawrence, 1969  
63 Ed McCoy, 1972  
50 Tom Lawrence, 1968  
50 Bill Bradshaw, 1953

## Punting Yards

\*2923 Tom Lawrence, 1969  
2245 Ed McCoy, 1972  
2199 Bill Bradshaw, 1953  
1884 Bill Bradshaw, 1952  
1752 Tom Lawrence, 1968

## Punting Average

\*44.0 Bill Bradshaw, 1953  
43.9 Bill Bradshaw, 1954  
42.1 Norm Limpert, 1965

## Punt Attempts

147 Tom Lawrence, 1969-70  
126 Bill Bradshaw, 1952-54  
113 Norm Limpert, 1962-64

## Punting Yards

5342 Tom Lawrence, 1969-70  
5311 Bill Bradshaw, 1952-54  
4562 Norm Limpert, 1962-64

## Punting Average

\*42.2 Bill Bradshaw, 1952-54  
40.4 Norm Limpert, 1962-64  
38.0 Joe Siesel, 1964-66

# PUNT RETURNS . . . PUNT RETURNS . . . PUNT RETURNS . . . PUNT RETURNS . . . PUNT RETURNS . . . PUNT RETURNS

## Punt Returns

10 Bob Harris vs. Central Mich., 1950  
7 Bill Pittman vs. Kent, 1972  
7 Bob Zimpfer vs. Ohio U., 1969  
6 Bill Pittman vs. Marshall, 1970  
6 Bob Zimpfer vs. Utah State, 1969

## Punt Return Yards

152 Bob Zimpfer vs. Quantico, 1967  
125 Joe Souliere vs. Marshall, 1965  
118 Bob Harris vs. Central Mich., 1950  
103 Joe Souliere vs. Western Mich., 1965

## Punt Returns

26 Bill Pittman, 1971  
25 Bob Zimpfer, 1969  
24 Bob Zimpfer, 1968  
23 Bob Zimpfer, 1967

## Punt Return Yards

379 Bob Zimpfer, 1967  
332 Bob Zimpfer, 1968  
277 Joe Souliere, 1965  
247 Bob Zimpfer, 1969

## Punt Returns

72 Bob Zimpfer, 1967-69  
65 Bill Pittman, 1970-72  
37 Bill Bradshaw, 1952-54

## Punt Return Yards

958 Bob Zimpfer, 1967-69  
449 Bill Pittman, 1970-72  
415 Joe Couliere, 1964-66

# KICKOFF RETURNS . . . KICKOFF RETURNS . . . KICKOFF RETURNS . . . KICKOFF RETURNS . . . KICKOFF RETURNS

## Kickoff Returns

6 Bill Pittman vs. Ohio U., 1970  
5 Tony Bell vs. Kent, 1971  
5 Bill Pittman vs. Marshall, 1970  
5 Bob Zimpfer vs. Ohio U., 1967

## Kickoff Return Yards

154 Joe Souliere vs. Temple, 1966  
113 Honester Davidson vs. Ohio, 1969  
112 Bill Pittman vs. Ohio U., 1970  
112 Roger Reynolds vs. Kent, 1961

## Kickoff Returns

22 Bill Pittman, 1970  
18 Bob Zimpfer, 1967  
17 Joe Souliere, 1966  
15 Honester Davidson, 1969

## Kickoff Return Yards

532 Bill Pittman, 1970  
416 Joe Souliere, 1966  
384 Bob Zimpfer, 1967  
353 Honester Davidson, 1969  
345 Tony Bell, 1971

## Kickoff Returns

41 Bill Pittman, 1970-72  
29 Bill Bradshaw, 1952-54  
26 Bob Zimpfer, 1967-69

## Kickoff Return Yards

940 Bill Pittman, 1970-72  
661 Bill Bradshaw, 1952-54  
561 Bob Zimpfer, 1967-69

# INTERCEPTION RETURNS . . . INTERCEPTION RETURNS . . . INTERCEPTION RETURNS . . . INTERCEPTION RETURNS

## Pass Interceptions

3 Arch Tunnell vs. Cal Poly, 1960

## Pass Interception Yards

127 Julius Livas vs. Miami, 1971  
90 Rodney Lash vs. Toledo, 1948  
66 Pete Schmidt vs. Findlay, 1948

## Pass Interceptions

12 Max Minnich, 1948  
6 Joe Pearce, 1967  
6 Dick Wagoner, 1966

## Pass Interception Yards

207 Max Minnich, 1948  
140 Julius Livas, 1971  
100 Joe Souliere, 1964

## Pass Interceptions

12 Max Minnich, 1946-48  
11 Dick Wagoner, 1964-66  
11 Joe Souliere, 1964-66  
11 Arch Tunnell, 1959-61

## Pass Interception Yards

207 Max Minnich, 1946-48  
198 Joe Souliere, 1964-66  
141 Dick Wagoner, 1964-66



# TEAM SINGLE GAME

## RUSHING

### Rushing Attempts

79 vs. Northern Illinois, 1967  
75 vs. East Carolina, 1967  
73 vs. Western Michigan, 1958  
73 vs. Kent State, 1949  
72 vs. Toledo, 1961

### Yards Lost Rushing

73 vs. Western Michigan, 1965  
71 vs. Toledo, 1969  
70 vs. Marshall, 1958  
70 vs. Ohio U., 1948

### Fewest Yards Lost Rushing

0 vs. Miami, 1959  
1 vs. Kent State, 1971  
2 vs. Wichita State, 1959

### Net Yards Rushing

496 vs. Marshall, 1968  
426 vs. East Carolina, 1971  
402 vs. Kent State, 1971  
402 vs. Defiance, 1956

### Fewest Net Yards Rushing

13 vs. Toledo, 1969  
14 vs. Western Mich., 1970  
22 vs. Miami, 1968  
29 vs. Toledo, 1970

### Touchdowns Rushing

10 vs. Defiance, 1956  
7 vs. Ball State, 1968

## PASSING

### Passing Attempts

\*53 vs. West Texas, 1969  
43 vs. Marshall, 1969  
37 vs. Toledo, 1969  
34 vs. Marshall, 1970  
32 Three Times

### Pass Completions

\*26 vs. Marshall, 1969  
23 vs. Ohio U., 1968  
23 vs. West Texas, 1969  
21 vs. Toledo, 1969

### Passing Yards

299 vs. Marshall, 1969  
292 vs. Bradley, 1953  
278 vs. Baldwin-Wallace, 1955  
268 vs. West Texas, 1969

### Fewest Completions

0 vs. Baldwin-Wallace, 1954  
1 vs. Ohio U., 1958  
1 vs. Baldwin-Wallace, 1957  
1 vs. Ohio, 1972

### Fewest Yards Passing

0 vs. Ohio U., 1947  
0 vs. Kent, 1955  
0 vs. Baldwin-Wallace, 1954  
3 vs. Ohio, 1972

### Passing Percentage

.929 vs. Bald.-Wall. (13/14), 1955  
.900 vs. Bald.-Wall. (9/10), 1952  
.846 vs. Marshall (11/13), 1961  
.810 vs. Marshall (17/21), 1955

### Worst Passing Percentage

.125 vs. Dayton (2/16), 1970  
.143 vs. Bald.-Wall. (1/7), 1957  
.167 vs. Toledo (1/6), 1960

### Passes Had Intercepted

5 vs. Toledo, 1954  
5 vs. Western Mich., 1970  
4 Three Times

## TOTAL OFFENSE

### Total Plays

99 vs. East Carolina, 1971  
97 vs. Western Mich., 1958  
93 vs. Northern Ill., 1967  
93 vs. West Texas, 1969

### Fewest Plays

38 vs. Ohio U., 1954  
38 vs. Ohio U., 1947  
40 vs. Ohio U., 1963

### Total Yards

592 vs. East Carolina, 1971  
540 vs. Cal Poly, 1960  
514 vs. Marshall, 1962  
507 vs. Kent, 1971  
504 vs. Western Mich., 1958

### Fewest Total Yards

72 vs. Miami, 1951  
79 vs. Heidelberg, 1953  
93 vs. Miami, 1954  
97 vs. Toledo, 1970

## SCORING

### Touchdowns

11 vs. Defiance, 1956  
9 vs. Ball State, 1968  
9 vs. Baldwin-Wallace, 1957  
†22 vs. Findlay, 1921

### Points

73 vs. Defiance, 1956  
62 vs. Ball State, 1968  
62 vs. Temple, 1966  
60 vs. Baldwin-Wallace, 1957  
†151 vs. Findlay, 1921

### Points In Half

\*43 vs. Toledo, 1959  
41 vs. Defiance, 1956  
36 vs. Kent, 1971  
35 vs. Temple, 1966

### Points In Quarter

\*29 vs. Kent (4th), 1971  
28 vs. Baldwin-Wall. (3rd), 1957  
27 vs. Defiance (4th), 1956  
26 vs. Defiance (2nd), 1956

### Extra Point Attempts (See Touchdowns)

8 vs. Ball State, 1968  
8 vs. Temple, 1968  
7 vs. Defiance, 1956  
†19 vs. Findlay, 1921

### Field Goals Made

3 vs. Western Mich., 1971

## FIRST DOWNS

### Total First Downs

31 vs. Western Mich., 1958  
29 vs. East Carolina, 1971  
28 vs. Ohio U., 1956  
27 Four Times

### First Downs Rushing

23 vs. Kent, 1971  
22 vs. East Carolina, 1971  
22 vs. Western Mich., 1958  
22 vs. Northern Ill., 1967

### First Downs Passing

16 vs. Marshall, 1969  
15 vs. West Texas, 1969  
15 vs. Xavier, 1968

### First Down Penalty

4 vs. West Texas, 1969

## FUMBLES

### Fumbles

8 vs. Marshall, 1969  
8 vs. Defiance, 1956  
7 vs. Kent, 1955

### Fumbles Lost

5 vs. Marshall, 1969  
5 vs. Miami, 1950

## PENALTIES

### Penalties

13 vs. East Carolina, 1971  
12 vs. Toledo, 1964  
12 vs. Xavier, 1964  
12 vs. Xavier, 1971

### Yards Penalized

139 vs. East Carolina, 1971  
130 vs. Xavier, 1971  
109 vs. Toledo, 1964

## PUNTING

### Punts

\*14 vs. Ohio U., 1947  
11 vs. Dayton, 1970  
11 vs. Utah State, 1969  
11 vs. Ohio U., 1969  
11 vs. Toledo, 1968

### Yards Punting

431 vs. Toledo, 1968  
428 vs. Utah State, 1969  
421 vs. Dayton, 1970  
417 vs. Ohio U., 1969

## Punting Average

54.0 vs. Marshall, 1962  
53.3 vs. Ohio U., 1953  
51.3 vs. Marshall, 1964  
51.3 vs. Bradley, 1953

## PUNT RETURNS

### Punt Returns

10 vs. Central Mich., 1950  
9 vs. Marshall, 1969

### Punt Return Yards

159 vs. Quantico, 1967  
125 vs. Marshall, 1965  
118 vs. Baldwin-Wall., 1957  
118 vs. Central Mich., 1950

## KICKOFF RETURNS

### Kickoff Returns

7 vs. Ohio U., 1970  
7 vs. Miami, 1950

### Kickoff Return Yards

154 vs. Temple, 1966  
142 vs. Cal. State, 1967  
138 vs. Western Mich., 1970

# ALL-TIME BEST RECORDS

## Won-Lost Records

9-0-0 1.000 in 1959  
8-0-1 1.000 in 1956  
9-0-1 1.000 in 1948  
6-0-2 1.000 in 1930  
5-0-2 1.000 in 1928  
9-1-0 .900 in 1964  
8-1-0 .889 in 1960  
7-1-1 .875 in 1962  
7-1-1 .875 in 1955  
7-1-1 .875 in 1941

## Won-Lost Records

0-3-0 .000 in 1919  
1-8-0 .111 in 1953  
1-6-0 .143 in 1935  
1-4-0 .200 in 1920  
2-7-0 .222 in 1954  
2-6-1 .250 in 1970  
3-5-0 .375 in 1923  
2-3-2 .400 in 1934  
2-3-2 .400 in 1933

## Points Scored

151-0 vs. Findlay, 1921  
73-0 vs. Defiance, 1956  
62-8 vs. Ball State, 1968  
62-20 vs. Temple, 1966  
60-7 vs. Baldwin-Wallace, 1957  
54-28 vs. Marshall, 1968  
51-7 vs. Marshall, 1959  
51-21 vs. Toledo, 1959  
50-6 vs. Cal Poly, 1960  
50-0 vs. Youngstown, 1952  
50-0 vs. Ashland, 1958

## Points Allowed

68-0 vs. Michigan Normal, 1920  
63-0 vs. Toledo, 1935  
58-6 vs. Baldwin-Wallace, 1933  
54-6 vs. Miami, 1950  
54-0 vs. Northern, 1935  
48-0 vs. Eastern Kentucky, 1940  
47-0 vs. Miami, 1953

## Points, Both Teams

151 151-0 vs. Findlay, 1921  
82 62-20 vs. Temple, 1966  
82 54-28 vs. Marshall, 1968  
79 46-33 vs. Kent State, 1971  
74 28-46 vs. Defiance, 1920  
73 73-0 vs. Defiance, 1956  
72 51-21 vs. Toledo, 1959  
70 62-8 vs. Ball State, 1968



## TEAM SINGLE-GAME BY OPPONENTS

### RUSHING

#### Rushing Attempts

72 by Toledo, 1949  
70 by Toledo, 1954  
69 by Miami, 1968

#### Fewest Rushing Attempts

21 by L.A. State, 1967  
23 by Dayton, 1963  
23 by North Texas, 1964  
23 by Temple, 1966

#### Yards Lost

149 by Kent State, 1960  
109 by Ohio Wesleyan, 1952  
99 by Youngstown, 1951

#### Fewest Yards Lost

0 by Ohio Univ., 1960  
1 by Marshall, 1968  
3 by Ohio, 1963

#### Net Yards Rushing

409 by Kent State, 1954  
387 by Miami, 1950  
387 by Ohio, 1954

#### Fewest Net Yards Rushing

-32 by Marshall, 1972  
-23 by Dayton, 1972  
-16 by Toledo, 1952

### PASSING

#### Pass Attempts

63 by L.A. State, 1967  
47 by Temple, 1966  
44 by Baldwin-Wallace, 1952

#### Fewest Pass Attempts

3 by Iowa Teachers, 1947  
3 by Baldwin-Wallace, 1954  
3 by Miami, 1957

#### Completions

22 by Fresno State, 1961  
21 by Tampa, 1966

#### Fewest Completions

0 by Baldwin-Wallace, 1954  
0 by Ohio, 1963  
0 by Dayton, 1965

#### Passing Yards

483 by L.A. State, 1967  
383 by San Diego State, 1972  
368 by Fresno State, 1961

### TOTAL OFFENSE

#### Total Plays

92 by Marshall, 1954  
89 by Miami, 1960  
88 by Western Michigan, 1957

#### Fewest Plays

32 by Iowa Teachers, 1947  
34 by Baldwin Wallace, 1954

#### Total Yards

623 by Miami, 1950  
558 by Miami, 1951  
522 by L.A. State, 1967

#### Fewest Total Yards

15 by Defiance, 1956  
16 by Dayton, 1972

### FIRST DOWNS

#### First Downs

27 by Marshall, 1954  
26 by Miami, 1952  
24 by Miami, 1954

#### Fewest First Downs

3 by Defiance, 1956  
3 by Marshall, 1962

#### First Downs Rushing

21 by Miami, 1954  
21 by Marshall, 1954  
21 by Ohio, 1954  
21 by Ohio, 1963

#### First Downs Passing

20 by L.A. State, 1967  
14 by San Diego, 1972  
13 by Baldwin-Wallace, 1952

\* Note — There were too many nominal cases to list the categories of fewest for the first downs.

### MISCELLANEOUS

#### Pass Interceptions by BG

6 vs. Toledo, 1948  
5 vs. San Diego, 1972

#### Pass Interception Yardage by BG

195 vs. Toledo, 1948  
130 vs. Miami, 1971  
79 vs. Marshall, 1968

#### Fumbles

9 by Toledo, 1954  
8 by Morris Harvey, 1948  
8 by Kent State, 1951  
8 by Youngstown, 1952  
8 by Kent State, 1970

#### Fumbles Recovered by BG

6 vs. Kent State, 1951  
6 vs. Ohio Wesleyan, 1952  
6 vs. Xavier, 1957

#### Punts

13 by Findlay, 1948  
12 by Utah, 1969  
11 by Central Michigan, 1950

#### Punt Yards

569 by Findlay, 1948  
474 by Utah State, 1969  
454 by Youngstown, 1951

#### Kickoff Returns

10 by Defiance, 1956  
10 by Baldwin-Wallace, 1957

#### Kickoff Return Yards

228 by Kent State, 1971  
199 by Bradley, 1953  
185 by East Carolina, 1971

## PLAYS TO REMEMBER

### Touchdown Run

85 Tony Trent vs. Toledo, 1964  
81 Harold Furcron vs. Dayton, 1958  
80 Jerry Dianiska vs. Ohio U., 1958

### Non-Scoring Run

45 Don Lisbon vs. Kent, 1960  
38 Vern Wireman vs. Kent, 1969  
35 Bob Zimpfer vs. Kent, 1967

### Touchdown Pass

80 Bob Colburn to Ron Blackledge vs. S. Illinois, 1959  
69 Bob Fearnside to Tom Hogrefe vs. Marshall, 1962  
67 Vern Wireman to Bob Zimpfer vs. N. Illinois, 1969

### Non-Scoring Pass

74 Vern Wireman to Bob Zimpfer vs. Utah State, 1969  
66 Vern Wireman to Fred Matthews vs. Marshall, 1968  
50 Reid Lamport to Rick Newman vs. Kent, 1971

### Kickoff Return

93 Roger Reynolds vs. Kent, 1961  
85 Joe Souliere vs. Temple, 1966

### Punt Return

73 Max Minnich vs. Morris Harvey, 1948  
65 Joe Souliere vs. Miami, 1965  
65 Joe Souliere vs. Temple, 1965

### Punt

75 Tom Lawrence vs. Western Michigan, 1959  
74 Bill Bradshaw vs. Youngstown, 1952  
73 Bill Bradshaw vs. Ohio U., 1953

### Pass Interception

90 Rodney Lash vs. Toledo, 1948  
88 Julius Livas vs. Miami, 1971  
66 Pete Schmidt vs. Findlay, 1948

### Field Goal

48 Al Silva vs. Quantico Marines, 1967  
47 Heath Wingate vs. Tampa, 1966  
47 Dick Wagoner vs. Temple, 1966



# TEAM SEASON RECORDS

## RUSHING

### Rushing Attempts

599 in 1971  
572 in 1972  
559 in 1961

### Yards Lost Rushing

361 in 1972  
359 in 1970  
356 in 1953

### Fewest Yards Lost

100 in 1964  
118 in 1969  
128 in 1960

### Net Yards Rushing

2875 in 1956  
2431 in 1960  
2398 in 1964  
2343 in 1971

### Fewest Net Yards Rushing

662 in 1953  
1037 in 1954  
1153 in 1969

## PASSING

### Pass Attempts

294 in 1969  
281 in 1968  
223 in 1970  
215 in 1971

### Pass Completions

150 in 1969  
149 in 1968  
93 in 1971

### Fewest Completions

26 in 1950  
36 in 1948  
39 in 1951

### Passing Yards

1750 in 1968  
1701 in 1969  
1331 in 1971

### Fewest Yards Passing

334 in 1950  
557 in 1951  
569 in 1956

### Passing Percentage

.589 in 1960 (53/90)  
.553 in 1955 (68/123)  
.532 in 1958 (83/156)  
.532 in 1959 (66/124)

### Worst Passing Percentage

.288 in 1950  
.358 in 1972  
.363 in 1970  
.364 in 1954

### Passes Had Intercepted

20 in 1970  
18 in 1953  
17 in 1954  
15 in 1971

### Touchdowns Passing

16 in 1969  
15 in 1952  
15 in 1948

## TOTAL OFFENSE

### Total Plays

814 in 1971  
755 in 1968  
742 in 1969

### Fewest Total Plays

474 in 1953  
486 in 1954  
493 in 1948

### Total Yards

3674 in 1971  
3444 in 1956  
3348 in 1964

### Fewest Total Yards

1749 in 1954  
1778 in 1953  
2037 in 1970

## SCORING

### Touchdowns

46 in 1956  
39 in 1964  
38 in 1968  
38 in 1959

### Points

311 in 1956  
275 in 1964  
274 in 1959  
267 in 1968

### Extra Point Attempts

46 in 1956  
39 in 1964  
38 in 1968  
38 in 1959

### Extra Points Made

38 in 1964  
33 in 1956  
30 in 1968  
30 in 1959

## FIRST DOWNS

### Total First Downs

209 in 1971  
186 in 1956  
183 in 1968  
182 in 1961

### First Downs Rushing

\*158 in 1956  
137 in 1971  
137 in 1961

### First Downs Passing

90 in 1968  
82 in 1969  
60 in 1971

### First Downs Penalty

15 in 1972  
14 in 1969  
13 in 1970

## FUMBLES

### Fumbles

35 in 1972  
31 in 1971  
29 in 1955  
26 in 1968

### Fumbles Lost

17 in 1950  
16 in 1968  
16 in 1958  
16 in 1955  
16 in 1951

## PENALTIES

### Penalties

70 in 1964  
63 in 1971  
63 in 1968

### Yards Penalized

624 in 1964  
613 in 1968  
584 in 1967

## PUNT RETURNS

### Punt Returns

36 in 1968  
34 in 1969  
32 in 1972

### Punt Return Yards

434 in 1967  
433 in 1968  
330 in 1965

## PUNTING

### Punts

80 in 1969  
68 in 1967  
67 in 1970

### Yards Punting

2923 in 1969  
2335 in 1967  
2245 in 1972  
2243 in 1953

### Punting Average

\*44.0 in 1953  
42.1 in 1964  
42.1 in 1954  
40.3 in 1963

## KICKOFF RETURNS

### Kickoff Returns

36 in 1970  
34 in 1971  
30 in 1967

### Kickoff Return Yards

732 in 1971  
696 in 1970  
554 in 1967

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# SEASON RECORDS BY OPPONENTS

## RUSHING

### Rushing Attempts

Most	Fewest
505 in 1958	316 in 1962
467 in 1971	349 in 1961
461 in 1953	351 in 1955

### Yards Lost

Most	Fewest
485 in 1952	174 in 1960
440 in 1951	186 in 1966
461 in 1972	193 in 1963

### Net Yards

Most	Fewest
2383 in 1954	788 in 1962
2224 in 1958	889 in 1961
2060 in 1953	938 in 1957

## PASSING

### Pass Attempts

Most	Fewest
247 in 1967	98 in 1954
227 in 1952	117 in 1953
225 in 1969	122 in 1955

### Pass Completions

Most	Fewest
148 in 1972	45 in 1955
105 in 1967	47 in 1953
100 in 1952	47 in 1954

### Passing Yards

Most	Fewest
1511 in 1952	553 in 1955
1401 in 1969	595 in 1954
1303 in 1972	727 in 1957

## TOTAL OFFENSE

### Total Plays

Most	Fewest
699 in 1952	467 in 1962
686 in 1968	473 in 1955
672 in 1969	485 in 1956

### Total Yards

Most	Fewest
3183 in 1958	1598 in 1955
3051 in 1953	1625 in 1957
2948 in 1954	1664 in 1962

## SCORING

### Touchdowns

Most	Fewest
37 in 1953	8 in 1955
32 in 1958	8 in 1957
30 in 1954	9 in 1960
30 in 1971	

### Points

Most	Fewest
252 in 1953	53 in 1955
218 in 1958	55 in 1957
207 in 1971	61 in 1960

## FIRST DOWNS

### First Downs

Most	Fewest
167 in 1958	88 in 1955
148 in 1967	90 in 1962
145 in 1954	93 in 1956

### First Downs Penalty

Most	Fewest
18 in 1971	2 in 1965
16 in 1967	2 in 1958

### First Downs Rushing

Most	Fewest
117 in 1954	43 in 1962
115 in 1958	52 in 1961
102 in 1953	55 in 1956

### First Downs Passing

Most	Fewest
62 in 1969	25 in 1954
60 in 1952	25 in 1955

## FUMBLES

### Fumbles

Most	Fewest
38 in 1954	15 in 1965
37 in 1953	16 in 1966
36 in 1952	16 in 1967

### Fumbles Recovered

Most	Fewest
27 in 1952	7 in 1967
19 in 1954	8 in 1965
	8 in 1969

## INTERCEPTIONS

### Pass Interceptions

Most	Fewest
22 in 1948	7 in 1956
21 in 1964	9 in 1963
	9 in 1953

## KICKOFF RETURNS

### Kickoff Returns

Most	Fewest
50 in 1952	24 in 1950
46 in 1956	27 in 1965
46 in 1968	29 in 1949
46 in 1971	

### Kickoff Return Yards

Most	Fewest
1102 in 1971	166 in 1966
883 in 1952	249 in 1958
843 in 1968	

## PUNTS

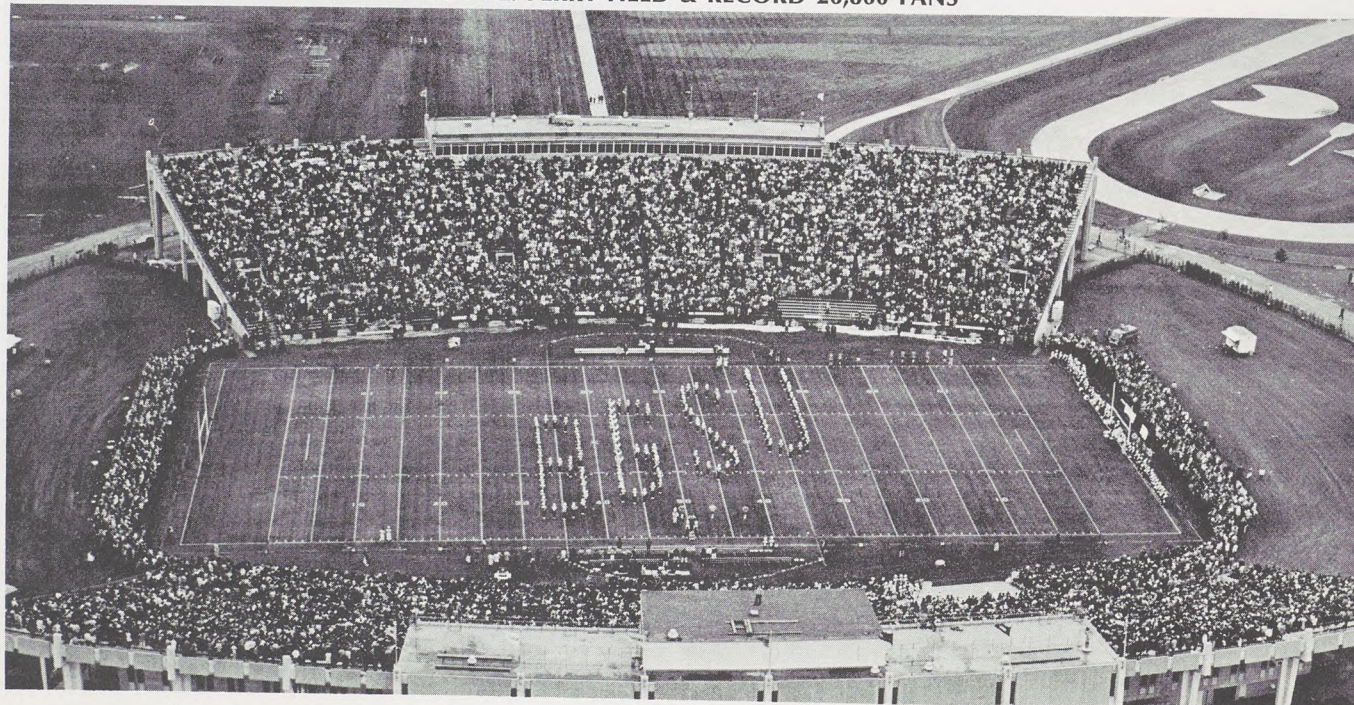
### Punts

Most	Fewest
85 in 1969	41 in 1960
78 in 1968	42 in 1956
67 in 1970	43 in 1958

### Punt Yards

Most	Fewest
2982 in 1969	1200 in 1958
2727 in 1968	1401 in 1956
2292 in 1971	1520 in 1964

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## RECORDS VS. OPPONENTS

OPPONENT	G	W	L	T	PCT.
Adrian .....	1	0	1	0	.000
Akron .....	1	0	1	0	.000
Albion .....	1	1	0	0	1.000
Alma .....	3	3	0	0	1.000
Ashland .....	6	5	1	0	.833
Baldwin-Wallace ....	21	8	10	3	.452
Ball State .....	3	3	0	0	1.000
Bluffton .....	12	9	2	1	.792
Bradley .....	4	4	0	0	1.000
California Poly ....	1	1	0	0	1.000
California State at LA .....	2	2	0	0	1.000
Canisius .....	1	1	0	0	1.000
Capital .....	11	2	4	5	.409
Case Tech .....	2	2	0	0	1.000
Cedarville .....	2	2	0	0	1.000
Central Mich. ....	12	9	3	0	.750
DAYTON .....	17	13	3	1	.794
Defiance .....	16	10	5	1	.656
Delaware .....	2	2	0	0	1.000
Detroit .....	1	1	0	0	1.000
Drake .....	1	1	0	0	1.000
East Carolina .....	1	1	0	0	1.000
Eastern Ky. ....	3	0	3	0	.000
Eastern Michigan ..	10	4	5	1	.450
Findlay .....	17	10	2	5	.735
*Fresno State .....	1	0	1	0	.000
Heidelberg .....	6	2	3	1	.417
Hiram .....	7	4	1	2	.750
Hope .....	1	1	0	0	1.000
Iowa State Teachers .....	1	1	0	0	1.000
John Carroll .....	4	1	2	1	.375
KENT STATE .....	41	24	11	6	.658
Marietta .....	1	0	1	0	.000
MARSHALL .....	19	16	3	0	.842
MIAMI .....	30	9	19	2	.333
Morningside .....	1	1	0	0	1.000
Morris Harvey .....	2	1	1	0	.500
Mount Union .....	6	3	3	0	.500
N. Texas State ....	1	1	0	0	1.000
Northern Ill. ....	3	2	1	0	.667
Oberlin .....	2	1	1	0	.500
Ohio Northern ....	11	3	5	3	.409
OHIO UNIV. ....	25	14	10	1	.580
Ohio Wesleyan ....	7	5	0	2	.714
Otterbein .....	4	2	0	2	.750
Quantico Marines .....	1	1	0	0	1.000
Purdue .....	1	1	0	0	1.000
Rider .....	2	1	0	1	.750
San Diego St. ....	1	0	1	0	.000
Southern Ill. ....	6	6	0	0	1.000
St. Bonaventure ....	2	0	2	0	.000
Tampa .....	2	0	2	0	.000
Temple .....	2	1	1	0	.500
TOLEDO .....	37	19	14	4	.567
Texas-Arlington ....	1	1	0	0	1.000
Texas Western .....	1	1	0	0	1.000
Utah State .....	2	0	2	0	.000
Waynes .....	10	8	1	1	.850
Waynesburg .....	1	0	1	0	.000
WEST MICH. ....	19	13	4	2	.736
Western Res. ....	2	0	1	1	.250
West Texas .....	5	1	4	0	.200
Wichita .....	1	1	0	0	1.000
Wm. and Mary .....	1	0	1	0	.000
Wittenberg .....	7	5	2	0	.714
Wooster .....	2	1	0	1	.750
Xavier .....	8	6	2	0	.750
Youngstown .....	4	3	1	0	.750
Others (non-col.) ..	7	5	2	0	.623
TOTALS .....	449	259	145	45	.627

\* Bowl Game

## RECORD YEAR BY YEAR

YEAR	W	L	T	PCT.	COACH
1919	0	3	0	.000	John Stitt
1920	1	4	0	.200	Walter Jean
1921	3	1	1	.700	Earl Kreiger
1922	4	2	1	.643	Al Snyder
1923	3	5	0	.375	R. B. McCandless
1924	3	4	0	.429	Warren Steller
1925	3	1	3	.643	Warren Steller
1926	4	3	1	.563	Warren Steller
1927	5	1	1	.786	Warren Steller
1928	5	0	2	.857	Warren Steller
1929	4	2	1	.643	Warren Steller
1930	6	0	2	.875	Warren Steller
1931	3	1	4	.625	Warren Steller
1932	3	3	1	.500	Warren Steller
1933	2	3	2	.429	Warren Steller
1934	2	3	2	.429	Warren Steller
1935	1	6	0	.143	Harry Ockerman
1936	4	2	3	.611	Harry Ockerman
1937	3	4	1	.438	Harry Ockerman
1938	3	2	3	.563	Harry Ockerman
1939	6	1	1	.813	Harry Ockerman
1940	3	4	1	.438	Harry Ockerman
1941	7	1	1	.833	Robert Whittaker
1942	6	2	1	.722	Robert Whittaker
1943	5	3	1	.611	Robert Whittaker
1944	5	3	0	.625	Robert Whittaker
1945	4	3	0	.571	Robert Whittaker
1946	5	3	0	.625	Robert Whittaker
1947	5	5	0	.500	Robert Whittaker
1948	8	0	1	.944	Robert Whittaker
1949	4	5	0	.444	Robert Whittaker
1950	3	4	2	.444	Robert Whittaker
1951	4	4	1	.500	Robert Whittaker
1952	7	2	0	.778	Robert Whittaker
1953	1	8	0	.111	Robert Whittaker
1954	2	7	0	.222	Robert Whittaker
1955	7	1	1	.833	Doyt Perry
1956	8	0	1	.944	Doyt Perry
1957	6	1	2	.778	Doyt Perry
1958	7	2	0	.778	Doyt Perry
1959	9	0	0	1.000	Doyt Perry
1960	8	1	0	.889	Doyt Perry
1961	8	2	0	.800	Doyt Perry
1962	7	1	1	.833	Doyt Perry
1963	8	2	0	.800	Doyt Perry
1964	9	1	0	.900	Doyt Perry
1965	7	2	0	.778	Bob Gibson
1966	6	3	0	.667	Bob Gibson
1967	6	4	0	.600	Bob Gibson
1968	6	3	1	.650	Don Nehlen
1969	6	4	0	.600	Don Nehlen
1970	2	6	1	.278	Don Nehlen
1971	6	4	0	.600	Don Nehlen
1972	6	3	1	.650	Don Nehlen

## RECORD OF COACHES

NAME	YEAR	G	W	L	T	PCT.
John Stitt (1919) .....	1	3	0	3	0	.000
Walter Jean (1920) .....	1	5	1	4	1	.250
Earl Kreiger (1921) .....	1	5	3	1	1	.700
Allen Snyder (1922) .....	1	7	4	2	1	.642
R. B. McCandless (1923) .....	1	8	3	5	0	.375
Warren Steller (1924-1934) ....	11	80	40	21	19	.619
Harry Ockerman (1935-1940) ....	6	48	20	19	9	.511
Robert Whittaker (1941-1954) ....	14	123	66	50	7	.565
*Doyt Perry (1955-1964) .....	10	92	77	10	5	.864
Bob Gibson (1965-1967) .....	3	28	19	9	0	.679
Don Nehlen (1968-) .....	5	49	26	20	3	.561
TOTALS .....		448	259	144	45	.628

\*Bowl Game Not Included.



# 54 YEARS OF BG FOOTBALL (259-145-45)

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**1919**

Record: 0-3-0  
Coach: John Stitt  
Captain: Dale Treece

L	0	TOLEDO	6
L	0	at Defiance	12
L	0	MICH. NORMAL	10
	<u>0</u>		<u>28</u>

**1920**

Record: 1-4-0  
Coach: Walter Jean  
Captain: Charles Clucas

L	6	at Findlay	10
L	0	at Mich. Normal	68
L	0	HEIDELBERG	14
L	28	DEFIANCE	46
W	7	at Kent	0
	<u>41</u>		<u>138</u>

**1921**

Record: 3-1-1  
Coach: Earl C. Kreiger  
Captain: Franklin (Gus) Skibbie

T	0	KENT	0
W	7	at Defiance	0
W	151	FINDLAY	0
L	0	Ashland	27
W	21	at Toledo	6
	<u>179</u>		<u>33</u>

**1922**

Record: 4-2-1  
Coach: Allen Snyder  
Captain: Orville Rabarding

L	0	at Ohio Northern	27
L	0	ADRIAN	7
W	26	at Findlay	0
W	22	DEFIANCE	0
W	38	at Huntington	6
T	6	TOLEDO	6
W	6	at Kent	0
W	6	at Kent	0
	<u>98</u>		<u>46</u>

**1923**

Record: 3-5-0  
Coach: R. B. McCandless  
Captain: Robert A. Younkin

L	0	O. NORTHERN	46
L	12	at Heidelberg	13
W	13	BLUFFTON	0
W	26	FINDLAY	3
L	0	at Toledo	27
L	7	at Defiance	17
W	10	ASHLAND	0
L	0	at Baldwin	0
	<u>68</u>	Wallace	<u>25</u>
			<u>131</u>

**1924**

Record: 3-4-0  
Coach: Warren E. Steller  
Captain: Ralph Castner

L	0	at Capital	19
W	13	at Ashland	6
L	7	at Toledo	12
L	0	at Central Mich.	21
L	0	DEFIANCE	15
W	6	at Bluffton	0
W	34	CEDARVILLE	0
	<u>60</u>		<u>73</u>

**1925**

Record: 3-1-3  
Coach: Warren E. Steller  
Captain: Harry Crawford

T	0	at Otterbein	0
L	0	MICH. NORMAL	14
T	0	at Capital	0
T	0	at Findlay	0
W	2	at Defiance	0
W	6	BLUFFTON	0
W	26	ASHLAND	14
	<u>34</u>		<u>28</u>

**1926**

Record: 4-3-1  
Coach: Warren E. Steller  
Captain: Hayden Olds

L	0	at Dayton	41
W	14	at Bluffton	0
W	25	CEDARVILLE	0
L	6	FINDLAY	7
W	13	CENTRAL MICH.	0
W	30	DEFIANCE	7
L	0	at Capital	15
T	0	at Detroit CC	0
	<u>88</u>	(Wayne)	<u>70</u>

**1927**

Record: 5-1-1  
Coach: Warren E. Steller  
Captain: Ora Knecht

T	0	at Otterbein	0
W	6	O. NORTHERN	2
W	13	at Kent State	0
W	6	DETROIT CC	0
	<u>52</u>	(Wayne)	<u>14</u>
W	6	FINDLAY	0
W	15	at Defiance	0
L	6	BLUFFTON	12

**1928**

Record: 5-0-2  
Coach: Warren E. Steller  
Captain: Chet Chapman

W	7	at O. Northern	0
W	6	at Bluffton	0
W	14	TOLEDO	0
T	12	DEFIANCE	12
W	20	at Detroit CC	0
	<u>90</u>	(Wayne)	<u>24</u>
W	19	at Findlay	0
T	12	KENT	12

**1929**

Record: 4-2-1  
Coach: Warren E. Steller  
Captain: Harold Treece

L	0	BALDWIN	18
		WALLACE	34
L	7	at Mich. Normal	0
W	23	FINDLAY	0
T	0	at Toledo	0
W	6	at Defiance	0
W	15	BLUFFTON	0
W	25	DETROIT CC	2
	<u>76</u>	(Wayne)	<u>54</u>

**1930**

Record: 6-0-2  
Coach: Warren E. Steller  
Captain: Chet Chapman

W	19	HOPE	0
W	7	at Baldwin	6
		Wallace	6
W	13	at Bluffton	6
W	13	DEFIANCE	6
T	6	at Findlay	6
T	0	TOLEDO	0
W	30	ALBION	7
W	19	at Detroit CC	7
	<u>107</u>	(Wayne)	<u>38</u>

**1931**

Record: 3-1-4  
Coach: Warren E. Steller  
Captain: Clifford Stevenson

T	0	at Baldwin	0
		Wallace	0
W	6	MT. UNION	0
T	0	at Western	0
		Reserve	0
W	13	DETROIT CC	0
		(Wayne)	0
T	0	BLUFFTON	15
L	0	at Defiance	6
T	6	FINDLAY	6
W	6	at Central Mich.	0
	<u>31</u>		<u>21</u>

**1932**

Record: 3-3-1  
Coach: Warren E. Steller  
Captain: Willard Schaller

L	0	BALDWIN	24
		WALLACE	6
W	7	at Mt. Union	14
L	0	at Bluffton	7
W	14	DEFIANCE	0
T	0	at Hiram	6
W	12	TOLEDO	20
L	0	at O. Northern	33
	<u>33</u>		<u>77</u>

**1933**

Record: 2-3-2  
Coach: Warren E. Steller  
Captain: Henry Fearnside

L	6	MT. UNION	7
W	19	BLUFFTON	0
L	6	at Baldwin	58
		Wallace	0
W	6	at O. Northern	26
L	7	at Toledo	0
T	0	CAPITAL	0
T	0	HIRAM	0
	<u>44</u>		<u>91</u>

**1934**

Record: 2-3-2  
Coach: Warren E. Steller  
Captain: Robert Lewis

L	0	at Mt. Union	12
W	20	OTTERBEIN	7
T	0	KENT	0
L	3	at Hiram	13
W	13	at Capital	0
L	0	TOLEDO	22
T	0	O. NORTHERN	0
	<u>36</u>		<u>54</u>

**1935**

Record: 1-6-0  
Coach: Harry Ockerman  
Captain: James Greetham

L	0	CAPITAL	12
L	0	BALDWIN	41
		WALLACE	54
L	0	at O. Northern	45
L	0	at Kent	63
L	0	at Toledo	31
L	0	MARIETTA	0
W	25	HIRAM	246
	<u>25</u>		<u>246</u>

**1936**

Record: 4-2-3  
Coach: Harry Ockerman  
Captain: James Inman

L	0	at Western	40
		Reserve	7
T	7	at Capital	0
W	6	MICH. NORMAL	0
W	13	at Wittenberg	6
L	0	KENT STATE	0
W	13	at Hiram	0
W	20	at Ashland	0
T	7	O. NORTHERN	7
T	0	HEIDELBERG	0
	<u>66</u>		<u>60</u>

**1937**

Record: 3-4-1  
Coach: Harry Ockerman  
Captain: John Cheetwood

W	12	HIRAM	0
L	0	at Baldwin	21
		Wallace	25
L	0	at Mich. Normal	0
W	12	CAPITAL	9
L	7	O. NORTHERN	13
T	13	at Kent	12
L	0	WITTENBERG	0
W	12	at Heidelberg	0
	<u>49</u>		<u>80</u>



**1938**

Record: 3-2-3

Coach: Harry Ockerman

Captain: Wayne Stewart

T	0	CAPITAL.....	0
L	0	at John Carroll...	20
W	50	ASHLAND.....	0
W	7	WITTENBERG....	0
T	0	at O. Northern...	0
T	7	MICH. NORMAL..	7
L	3	KENT.....	7
W	27	at Hiram.....	0
	<u>94</u>		<u>34</u>

**1939**

Record: 6-1-1

Coach: Harry Ockerman

Captain: Edward Siminski

W	35	BLUFFTON.....	0
W	9	WAYNE.....	0
L	6	CAPITAL.....	7
W	26	OTTERBEIN.....	6
W	19	at Wittenberg....	13
W	34	at Kent.....	0
T	7	at Findlay.....	7
W	23	at Mich. Normal..	13
	<u>159</u>		<u>46</u>

**1940**

Record: 3-4-1

Coach: Harry Ockerman

Captain: Steve Brudzinski

L	0	WITTENBERG....	14
W	14	at Findlay.....	7
W	15	MICH. NORMAL..	0
T	7	at Capital.....	7
L	0	KENT.....	13
W	26	at Wooster.....	14
L	0	at Eastern Ky. ...	48
L	0	at Wayne.....	19
	<u>62</u>		<u>122</u>

**1941**

Record: 7-1-1

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: Edward Wellner

T	14	WOOSTER.....	14
L	0	at Akron.....	8
W	9	at Miami.....	0
W	20	at Mich. Normal..	6
W	39	HEIDELBERG....	6
W	12	at Kent.....	6
W	13	at Wittenberg....	0
W	47	FINDLAY.....	0
W	19	WAYNE.....	0
	<u>173</u>		<u>40</u>

**1942**

Record: 6-2-1

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: Ralph Quesinberry

W	39	MIAMI NAVAL..	0
L	14	at O. Wesleyan..	15
W	26	at Ball State....	14
W	20	at Wayne.....	6
W	7	MIAMI.....	6
L	0	KENT.....	7
W	10	WITTENBERG....	0
T	0	at Findlay.....	0
W	19	GROSSE ISLE	
		NAVY.....	7
	<u>135</u>		<u>55</u>

**1943**

Record: 5-3-1

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: Wayne Bordner

W	18	O. WESLEYAN..	7
W	40	at Xavier.....	0
W	36	CENTRAL MICH..	0
W	31	PATTERSON	
		FIELD.....	0
L	12	BUNKER HILL	
		NAVY.....	13
T	7	at Baldwin-	
		Wallace.....	7
W	24	ALMA.....	0
L	6	at Miami.....	45
L	20	at O. Wesleyan..	32
	<u>194</u>		<u>104</u>

**1944**

Record: 5-3-0

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: Donald Mohr

W	20	at Central Mich..	19
L	7	at Miami.....	28
W	13	at O. Wesleyan..	6
L	6	BALDWIN-	
		WALLACE.....	13
W	19	ALMA.....	6
W	41	O. WESLEYAN..	0
W	20	at Case.....	18
L	7	at Bunker Hill	
		Navy.....	27
	<u>133</u>		<u>117</u>

**1945**

Record: 4-3-0

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: Patrick Mulvihill

W	15	at Alma.....	0
W	19	CENTRAL MICH..	6
L	13	at Baldwin-	
		Wallace.....	14
L	0	at Miami.....	26
W	6	at Ohio Univ. ...	0
L	0	at Oberlin.....	28
W	26	CASE.....	7
	<u>79</u>		<u>81</u>

**1946**

Record: 5-3-0

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: Wayne Bordner

		Stanley Yoder	
L	0	at Central Mich..	7
W	13	BALL STATE....	0
L	0	MIAMI.....	6
W	13	at Kent.....	0
W	13	at Canisius.....	0
W	14	OBERLIN.....	0
L	9	at St.	
		Bonaventure...	13
W	33	XAVIER.....	6
	<u>95</u>		<u>39</u>

**1947**

Record: 5-5-0

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: Wayne Bloker

		James Knierim	
L	0	at Xavier.....	2
W	20	CENTRAL MICH..	19
L	13	at Dayton.....	20
L	19	at Miami.....	33
W	2	OHIO UNIV.....	0
W	21	KENT.....	18
W	26	FINDLAY.....	9
L	14	at St.	
		Bonaventure...	21
W	19	IOWA STATE....	7
L	0	at Wm. & Mary..	20
	<u>134</u>		<u>149</u>

**1948**

Record: 8-0-1

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: Vernon Dunham

W	13	at Ohio Univ. ....	7
W	13	at Central Mich..	12
W	21	at Toledo.....	6
W	48	MORRIS	
		HARVEY.....	6
W	33	BALDWIN-	
		WALLACE.....	28
W	28	at Findlay.....	7
W	23	at Kent.....	14
W	38	MORNINGSIDE..	7
T	13	JOHN CARROLL	13
	<u>230</u>		<u>100</u>

**1949**

Record: 4-5-0

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: Jack Woodland

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L	19	at Toledo.....	20
L	0	at Morris Harvey	21
L	21	at Baldwin-	
		Wallace.....	34
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W	27	KENT.....	6
W	35	at Mt. Union....	7
L	13	EASTERN KY....	21
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**1950**

Record: 3-4-2

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: Douglas Mooney

T	0	at Rider.....	0
L	6	MIAMI.....	54
W	20	BRADLEY.....	14
L	0	at Central Mich..	12
T	34	BALDWIN-	
		WALLACE.....	34
W	39	at Toledo.....	14
L	6	at Kent.....	19
W	22	YOUNGSTOWN..	7
L	7	at Eastern Ky. ...	34
	<u>134</u>		<u>188</u>

**1951**

Record: 4-4-1

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: Ollie Glass

		Eugene Aldridge	
W	23	O. WESLEYAN..	13
L	7	at Miami.....	46
L	13	MT. UNION.....	26
L	7	at Ohio Univ. ....	28
W	27	at Baldwin-	
		Wallace.....	20
L	6	TOLEDO.....	12
T	27	KENT.....	27
W	20	at Youngstown..	0
W	20	at Bradley.....	6
	<u>150</u>		<u>178</u>

**1952**

Record: 7-2-0

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: Darrell Clay

W	20	CENTRAL MICH..	7
L	7	MIAMI.....	42
W	45	at O. Wesleyan..	0
W	21	at Bradley.....	14
W	27	BALDWIN-	
		WALLACE.....	19
W	29	at Toledo.....	19
W	44	at Kent.....	21
W	50	YOUNGSTOWN..	0
L	14	OHIO UNIV.....	33
	<u>257</u>		<u>155</u>

**1953**

Record: 1-8-0

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: James Ladd

L	7	at Youngstown..	20
L	0	at Miami.....	47
L	0	at Temple.....	27
W	39	BRADLEY.....	13
L	27	at Baldwin-	
		Wallace.....	35
L	19	TOLEDO.....	20
L	7	KENT.....	41
L	6	HEIDELBERG....	27
L	14	at Ohio Univ. ....	22
	<u>119</u>		<u>252</u>

**1954**

Record: 2-7-0

Coach: Robert H. Whittaker

Captain: John Ladd

W	18	at Dayton.....	0
L	7	MIAMI.....	46
L	7	WAYNESBURG..	12
L	15	at Western Mich.	20
W	13	BALDWIN-	
		WALLACE.....	0
L	7	at Toledo.....	38
L	25	at Kent.....	28
L	19	MARSHALL.....	26
L	14	OHIO UNIV.....	26
	<u>125</u>		<u>196</u>



**1955**

Record: 7-1-1	
Coach: Doyt L. Perry	
Captain: Jack Hecker	
W 40 DEFIANCE.....	0
T 6 at Kent.....	6
W 35 WESTERN MICH.....	0
W 30 JOHN CARROLL.....	0
W 34 at Baldwin-Wallace.....	14
W 39 TOLEDO.....	0
W 27 at Marshall.....	26
L 0 at Miami.....	7
W 13 at Ohio Univ.....	0
<b>151</b>	<b>53</b>

**1956**

Record: 8-0-1	
Coach: Doyt L. Perry	
Captain: Jack Giroux	
Harold Peek	
W 73 DEFIANCE.....	0
W 17 KENT.....	0
W 27 at Western Mich.....	13
W 46 at Drake.....	7
W 32 at Baldwin-Wallace.....	21
W 34 at Toledo.....	12
W 34 MARSHALL.....	12
T 7 MIAMI.....	7
W 41 OHIO UNIV.....	27
<b>311</b>	<b>99</b>

**1957**

Record: 6-1-2	
Coach: Doyt L. Perry	
Captain: Tim Murnen	
W 60 BALDWIN-WALLACE.....	7
W 16 at Xavier.....	0
W 7 at Delaware.....	0
T 14 WESTERN MICH.....	14
W 29 TOLEDO.....	0
W 13 at Kent.....	7
L 7 MIAMI.....	13
T 7 at Ohio Univ.....	7
W 14 at Marshall.....	7
<b>167</b>	<b>55</b>

**1958**

Record: 7-2-0	
Coach: Doyt L. Perry	
Captain: Raymond Reese	
W 20 at Wichita.....	14
W 27 LOCKBOURNE AFB.....	6
W 25 at Dayton.....	0
W 40 at Western Mich.....	6
W 31 at Toledo.....	16
L 7 KENT.....	8
L 14 at Miami.....	28
W 33 OHIO UNIV.....	6
W 21 MARSHALL.....	7
<b>218</b>	<b>91</b>

**1959**

Record: 9-0-0	
Coach: Doyt L. Perry	
Captain: Robert Colburn	
Robert Zimpfer	
W 51 at Marshall.....	7
W 14 DAYTON.....	0
W 34 WESTERN MICH.....	0
W 51 TOLEDO.....	21
W 25 at Kent State.....	8
W 33 MIAMI.....	16
W 23 at So. Illinois.....	14
W 30 DELAWARE.....	8
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**1960**

Record: 8-1-0	
Coach: Doyt L. Perry	
Captain: Jerry Colaner	
Bernard Casey	
W 14 MARSHALL.....	7
W 21 at Miami.....	12
W 14 at Western Mich.....	13
W 14 at Toledo.....	3
W 28 KENT STATE.....	0
W 50 CALIFORNIA POLY.....	6
W 27 SOUTHERN ILL.....	6
L 7 OHIO UNIV.....	14
W 21 at Texas Western.....	0
<b>196</b>	<b>61</b>

**1961**

Record: 8-2-0	
Coach: Doyt L. Perry	
Captain: Larry Smith	
Raymond Kwiatkowski	
W 40 at Marshall.....	0
W 28 DAYTON.....	11
W 21 WESTERN MICH.....	0
W 17 TOLEDO.....	6
W 21 at Kent State.....	6
L 6 MIAMI.....	7
W 28 W. TEXAS ST.....	6
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**1962**

Record: 7-1-1	
Coach: Doyt L. Perry	
Captain: Robert Fearnside	
Gary Sherman	
W 48 MARSHALL.....	6
W 14 at Dayton.....	7
W 10 at Western Mich.....	6
W 28 at Toledo.....	13
W 45 KENT STATE.....	6
T 24 at Miami.....	24
L 7 at W. Texas St.....	23
W 7 OHIO UNIV.....	6
W 21 SOUTHERN ILL.....	0
<b>204</b>	<b>91</b>

**1963**

Record: 8-2-0	
Coach: Doyt L. Perry	
Captain: John Doyle	
William Violet	
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W 31 at Southern Ill.....	6
W 28 DAYTON.....	0
W 16 WESTERN MICH.....	7
W 22 TOLEDO.....	20
W 18 at Kent State.....	3
L 12 MIAMI.....	21
W 21 at Marshall.....	14
L 0 at Ohio Univ.....	16
W 26 XAVIER.....	15
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**1964**

Record: 9-1-0	
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Captain: Thomas Reicosky	
Jerry Ward	
James Wisser	
W 35 SOUTHERN ILL.....	12
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W 35 DAYTON.....	0
W 28 at Western Mich.....	8
W 31 at Toledo.....	14
W 41 KENT STATE.....	0
W 21 at Miami.....	18
W 28 MARSHALL.....	0
L 0 OHIO UNIV.....	21
W 35 at Xavier.....	7
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**1965**

Record: 7-2-0	
Coach: Bob Gibson	
Captain: William Earhart	
James Violet	
Dwight Wallace	
W 21 CALIF. ST.....	0
L 0 at W. Texas St.....	34
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W 21 WESTERN MICH.....	17
W 21 TOLEDO.....	14
W 7 at Kent State.....	6
L 7 MIAMI.....	23
W 20 at Marshall.....	6
W 17 at Ohio Univ.....	7
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**1966**

Record: 6-3-0	
Coach: Bob Gibson	
Captain: Mike Weger	
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W 13 DAYTON.....	0
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W 14 at Toledo.....	13
L 12 KENT STATE.....	35
W 17 at Miami.....	14
W 14 MARSHALL.....	6
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**1967**

Record: 6-4-0	
Coach: Bob Gibson	
Captain: Chester Boyer	
Dave Seiter	
W 29 QUANTICO MARINES.....	0
W 7 at Dayton.....	0
L 6 WESTERN MICH.....	10
L 0 TOLEDO.....	33
W 7 at Kent State.....	6
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W 9 at Marshall.....	7
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**1968**

Record: 6-3-1	
Coach: Don Nehlen	
Captain: Dennis Zolciak	
W 62 BALL STATE.....	8
W 20 DAYTON.....	14
W 17 at Western Mich.....	10
T 0 at Toledo.....	0
W 30 KENT STATE.....	7
L 7 at Miami.....	31
W 54 MARSHALL.....	28
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L 6 at Northern Ill.....	7
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**1969**

Record: 6-4-0	
Coach: Don Nehlen	
Captain: Joe Green	
Dave Roese	
L 6 UTAH STATE.....	14
W 27 at Dayton.....	7
W 21 WESTERN MICH.....	10
L 26 TOLEDO.....	27
W 7 at Kent State.....	0
W 3 MIAMI.....	0
L 16 at Marshall.....	21
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L 12 at West Texas.....	28
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**1970**

Record: 2-6-1	
Coach: Don Nehlen	
Captain: Dave Finley	
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T 14 DAYTON.....	14
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L 3 at Miami.....	7
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**1971**

Record: 6-4-0	
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W 23 WESTERN MICH.....	6
L 7 TOLEDO.....	24
W 46 at Kent State.....	33
W 33 MIAMI.....	7
L 10 at Marshall.....	12
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L 27 XAVIER.....	42
L 16 at Dayton.....	26
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**1972**

Record: 6-3-1	
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Captains: Bill Pittman	
Bill Montrie	
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W 16 at Miami.....	7
T 13 at Western Mich.....	13
W 19 at Toledo.....	8
L 10 KENT STATE.....	14
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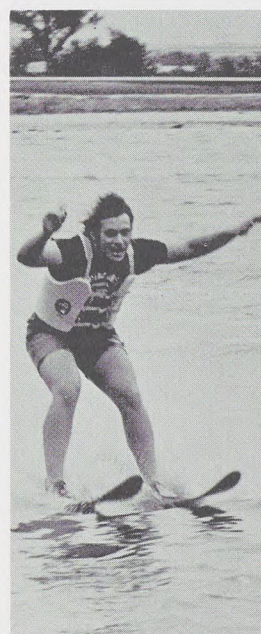
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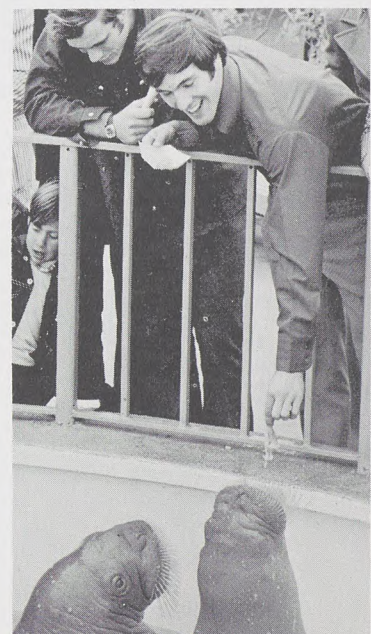
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## ATHLETICS AT BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY

While striving to achieve its educational goal of providing total participation within a framework of excellence at various levels of competition and proficiency, Bowling Green State University's athletic program has reached new highs in performance during the last two years.

Like an open umbrella with its ribs reaching out in all directions to insure satisfaction and comfort when being used, Bowling Green's athletic department achieved success in all areas that it covered in the last 24 months.

At the intercollegiate level, the Falcons won the all-sports championship of the Mid-American Conference in 1972 and finished second in 1973. Olympic gold medalist Dave Wottle and a football victory over Purdue brought world-wide attention to the university. MAC championships were won in golf (twice), baseball and track and winning seasons were produced 19 times in 24 tries by the 12 varsity teams.

Additional club teams in the sports of rugby (top 10 in the nation), water polo, volleyball, gymnastics, cricket, fencing and sailing widen the range of participation to the interest group level. An extensive intramural program broadens the base even further as the 9,137 participants last year will tell you.

The athletic program also proudly embraces the outstanding departments of health and physical education and health and recreation with service courses open to all students. The athletic interests of women are also covered by the coordination of fields and facilities.

Between 75 and 100 other athletic events sponsored by community and state-wide organizations were also incorporated into the total program last year as BG's modern facilities were used for such events as high school tournaments in basketball, baseball, track and tennis and the regional tournament in track for the Ohio Athletic Association for the Mentally Retarded.

Many persons don't realize the value of an umbrella until after they have been caught in a downpour without it. Fortunately at Bowling Green, no one has yet been caught without his athletic umbrella.

Following is a brief look at the recent history and current status of BG's 12 varsity sports.

**Basketball** — For many years the Falcons have produced some of the finest and most widely recognized basketball teams in the country. Post-season major college tournaments have been especially significant in gaining deserved national recognition. Bowling Green cagers have appeared six times in the NIT tourney in New York, and four times in the NCAA tournaments. The Falcons have produced nine basketball All-Americans, and won four MAC titles. Coach Pat Haley currently handles a Falcon cage program rich in tradition and winning success.

**Hockey** — Ice hockey became Bowling Green's newest varsity sport in 1969, and has rapidly captured the fancy of Falcon fans. The University's ice arena is one of the best of its kind in the country, and the Falcon icers are making it a "winning" arena while competing with the nation's finest teams.

**Cross Country** — Bowling Green and Oregon are the only cross country teams who have placed among the top 10 teams in the NCAA championships in each of the last four years. Coach Mel Brodt has guided the

Falcons to finishes of ninth, eighth, seventh and sixth in the last four seasons. The harriers also won the 1969 MAC championship and have produced three of the last five individual league champions, including Dave Wottle who captured the 1971 crown.

**Soccer** — Added to the Falcons' varsity program in 1965, soccer has quickly become a "winner" with the 1972 team compiling a best-ever 7-2-3 record and being invited to the NCAA tournament. A 2-0 loss to NCAA champion St. Louis did not dampen the successful campaign for Coach Mickey Cochrane and his team.

**Swimming** — Swimming has enjoyed a long and successful reign at Bowling Green (the Falcons won five straight MAC crowns from 1956-1960) and the natatorium still rings with past record-breaking performances. Coach Tom Stubbs now looks forward to establishing new records in a new facility — one which should make a fine swimming program even better.

**Wrestling** — Bowling Green has a long-formed winning habit on the mats, compiling a string of 19 consecutive winning seasons beginning in 1955. During that span, the team won three MAC titles and produced 15 individual champions. Veteran coach Bruce Bellard is reason enough to expect continued wrestling success.

**Track and Field** — American steeplechase record-holder Sid Sink and Olympic Gold Medalist Dave Wottle have put Bowling Green track on the national and international map in the last four years. The two athletes each won individual NCAA champions in 1972 to give BG second place at the indoor track championships. Wottle also won the 880 and mile to help the Falcons to their first-ever MAC outdoor track championship in 1972. By tying the world record for the 800 meters at the Olympic Trials, Wottle became the first BG athlete to win a spot on the United States Olympic Team. The excellent track program is built around Robert H. Whittaker Track, a nine-lane, Tartan oval complete with permanent seats, enclosed press box and special facilities for field events.

**Baseball** — The Bowling Green baseball program has taken great strides over the past decade to rank as a leader in the baseball-strong Midwest. Under new coach Don Purvis, the 1972 team won the MAC championships, finished second in the NCAA District tournament and ranked 13th in the nation.

**Lacrosse** — Another 1965 addition to the Falcon varsity program, Bowling Green lacrosse has gained prominence in the midwest and nationwide. Coach Mickey Cochrane is duly proud of his teams' 46-12 overall record in the past four years, along with nine All-Americans, and two finishes among the top eight teams in the USILA College Tournament.

**Tennis** — Falcon home tennis matches are now played on 18 new Grasstex and Laykold courts — facilities which do justice to the caliber of Falcon play. Youthful coach Bob Gill heads up the net program and is hungry for his first MAC championship.

**Golf** — Bowling Green recorded another MAC "first" by completing its own full-length, championship golf course on campus soil. Coach John Piper is proud to take on Falcon foes on the beautiful and treacherous layout after winning the MAC championship in 1972 and 1973.



## BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY

"Tomorrow's Athletics For Today's Athletes" is the motto of Bowling Green State University's Athletic Department — an objective much in keeping with the overall goals of this fine, midwestern University.

A casual visitor to the main campus learns a great deal about Bowling Green State University from its physical features. Ultra-modern classroom facilities, spacious residence halls, and a stunning new athletic complex point toward progress and potential, while stately, ivy-covered halls reflect past tradition and success.

Bowling Green is committed to providing a friendly, yet academically stimulating climate for the physical and mental development of its students. There is at Bowling Green — on its campus, in its academic halls, and on its athletic fields — a powerful commitment to excellence of education, personal integrity, and freedom to achieve.

This has been the key to the University's academic and athletic success, and is its prospect for continued excellence in the future.

Bowling Green State University is situated on a 1,247 acre campus in Bowling Green, Ohio 23 miles south of Toledo and 15 miles south of the Ohio Turnpike. The University also provides two-year academic centers in three northwestern Ohio communities. Total enrollment is now approaching the 16,000 mark, and has been steadily increasing since the school's founding in 1910.

Courses of instruction at Bowling Green lead to degrees through the Colleges of Arts & Sciences, Business Administration, Education, Health & Community Services, and The School of Music. The Graduate School was formally organized in 1947, 12 years after graduate programs were initiated.

Firm and dynamic leadership has been a tradition at Bowling Green through the tenures of seven University presidents. The seventh, Dr. Hollis Moore, assumed his duties in July, 1970, succeeding Dr. William Travers Jerome, III. Dr. Moore was formerly vice president of academic affairs at George Peabody College in Nashville, Tennessee.

In commenting on his new appointment, which came at a time of considerable campus unrest throughout the country, Dr. Moore stated, "I feel there is an excellent background here for communication between students, faculty and administration; all of which leads me to have an obvious optimism about Bowling Green and it's future."

If past success and development is an omen of things to come, then Bowling Green's future is bright, indeed. The past decade marked the University's period of most rapid growth, as evidenced by its changing physical appearance.

Perhaps most impressive of the buildings recently completed is the nine-story university library, which has a total capacity of 640,000 volumes, terraced grounds, reading lounges, study carrels and seminar rooms. Other new facilities include a science-research complex, educational-general classroom building, student medical center, student services building, business-general classroom building, and an ultra-modern athletic complex.

Intercollegiate athletics and Bowling Green have been exciting and rewarding partners for many years. The University's athletic program has also expanded and matured in the past decade, and now embraces a total of 12 varsity sports. A member of the Mid-American Conference since 1952, Bowling Green has been a

front-runner in competitive success and physical expansion.

Located on the eastern edge of the Bowling Green campus is one of the newest and finest athletic plants in the country. Built at a cost of over \$6 million, the area now contains a 23,000-seat football stadium, 3,000-seat ice arena, all-weather track, baseball stadium, all-weather tennis courts, ski-area, championship golf course, soccer field and lake. The area also provides practice facilities for all Falcon outdoor sports, plus physical education, intramural, and community sports activity.

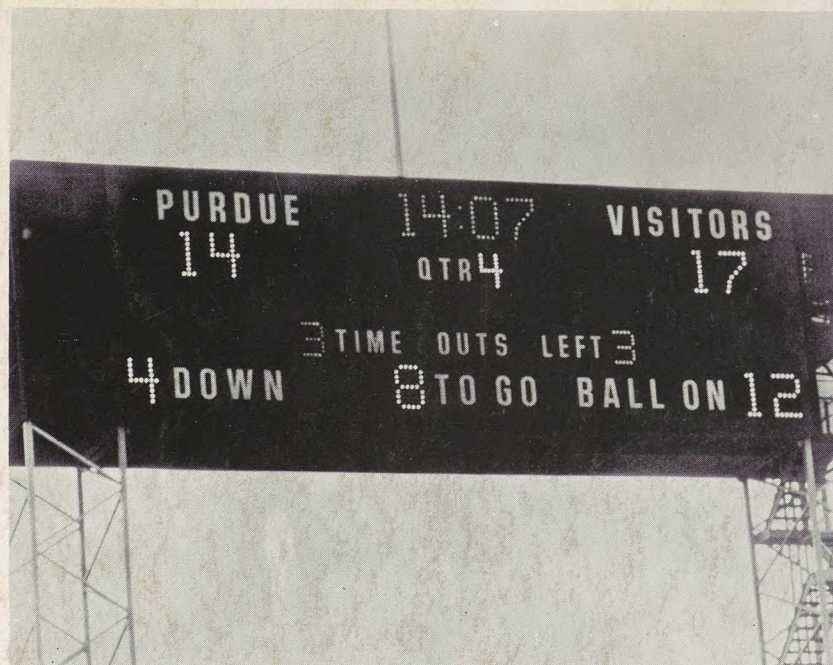
Throughout the years, Bowling Green has established many athletic traditions, including the tradition of winning. In the past decade, Bowling Green has compiled an all-sports winning percentage of .575. Of the 12 intercollegiate sports, two of which were added in 1965 and one in 1969, 10 had records of .500 or better in 1972-73.

Bowling Green's winning tradition also shows in the classroom. In the past 20 years, over 90 per cent of all scholar-athletes entering Bowling Green have graduated — a record significantly higher than the national average.

Other traditions include the nickname "Falcons", carried by all Bowling Green athletic teams, and the school colors of burnt orange and seal brown. There is the mysterious split organization, Sic Sic, Homecoming Day, Parents Day, migrations to other Universities, the Alpha Tau Omega victory bell carried to all football games, and the school's mascot, Freddie Falcon.







### 1973

Sept. 15 at Syracuse  
 22 at Dayton  
 29 WESTERN MICHIGAN  
 Oct. 6 TOLEDO  
 13 at Kent State  
 20 MIAMI  
 27 at Marshall  
 Nov. 3 at Ohio University  
 10 EASTERN MICHIGAN  
 17 NORTHERN ILLINOIS

### 1974

Sept. 14 at East Carolina  
 21 DAYTON  
 28 at Western Michigan  
 Oct. 5 at Toledo  
 12 KENT STATE  
 19 at Miami  
 26 MARSHALL  
 Nov. 2 OHIO UNIVERSITY  
 9 ARKANSAS STATE  
 16 at Southern Mississippi  
 23 at San Diego State

### 1975

Sept. 13 at Brigham Young  
 20 SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI  
 27 at Dayton  
 Oct. 4 WESTERN MICHIGAN  
 11 TOLEDO  
 18 at Kent State  
 25 MIAMI  
 Nov. 1 BALL STATE  
 8 at Ohio University  
 15 at Southern Illinois  
 22 at Texas-Arlington

### 1973 Tickets

Season Chair ..... \$27.50  
 Single-Game Chair ..... \$ 6.00  
 Season Bench ..... \$22.50  
 Single-Game Bench ..... \$ 5.00